Snow Blankets British Camp in Jerusalem



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New Tax Bill

Means Savings

For 52 Million

WASHINGTON, March 24 (P)-

The tax bill which Congress sent

to President Truman today would:

Distribute an estimated \$4.800,-

000,000 in tax reductions among

52.000.000 taxpayers. Approximately

7.400,000 of those in the lower

brackets would be relieved entirely

Retsult in lower withholdings from

wages and salaries effective May

1. Overpayments in the first four

months of 1948 would be refunded

Income taxes would be reduced in

4. AN ADDITIONAL \$600 exemp-

In addition, the exemptions for

the aged and the blind would be in-

reased, and adjustments would be

A single man with a net income

taxes. He would pay \$810.72 under

A married person with two de-

PEARL HARBOR, March 24 (F)-

atomic bomb tests, the destroyers

Mugford and Rhind, were scuttled

The Mugiord was a veteran of

he Japanese attack on Pearl Har-

comes in contact with it," Glenn L

Martin, airplane manufacturer, said

"It is effective over a much larger

touches radioactive for an indefinite

Martin said the cloud is

spread by wind and its use re-

quires sure knowledge of

weather conditions or it might

facturing company that bears his

name said that the United States

The head of the plane manu-

backfire on its users.

made in estate and gift taxes.

of the savings the bill offers:

2 A-Bomb Test Ships

Scuttled by Navy

reported today.

today.

tion would be granted persons 65

years or older, bringing their total

exemption to \$1200.

the new measure.

of paying income taxes.

hree principal ways:

be raised from \$500 to \$600.

early next year.

the couple.

POTISTOWN, PA., THURSDAY

MORNING, MARCH 25, 1948

THREE CENTS A COPT FIFTEEN CENTS & WEEK

Tax Slash Measure Sent to Truman Milk Price to Drop

LEADERS SAY **EXPECTED VETO WON'T STICK**

House Votes 289-67 For Nearly 5 Billion Slice; Democrats Back Cut

WASHINGTON, March 24 (P) -The House sent President Truman 2 34.800,000,000 tax reduction bill today, pounding home its approval by a 289 to 67 roll call vote.

The margin was 51 votes greater than the two-thirds majority which would be required to override a veto, provided there is no change of senument.

And President Truman is expected to veto the tax cut promptly. His supporters take the stand that instead of reducing taxes, Congress should maintain the current high flow of revenue to rebuild the nation's military strength in the global drive to stop Com-

But the House vote, coupled with the topheavy 78 to 11 approval given by the Senate Monday, was viewed by Democrats as well as Republicans as assuring that the tax cut will become law.

"THERE IS not a chance in the world that Congress will support a presidential veto," one highly placed Democratic lawmaker said.

House action came in the face of an impassioned statement by Democratic leader Rayburn, of Texas, that "Danger lurks in this world." He asked. In this hour of disorder, had we not better be in a position to bring about those instruments of war that may be needed to defend our shores."

Rep. Gore (D-Tenn), said the tax cut threatens to put the Treasury in red ink again and injure the financial integrity of the government.

But in the voting 84 Democrats deserted the administration to join 205 Republicans in suport of the measure. Opposing were 64 Democrats, one Republican and the two American - Labor party members from New York.

REP. DOUGHTON (D-NC), who (Continued on Page Ten)

Hoover Supports ERP as Bulwark * Against Red Threat

WASHINGTON, March 24 (A)-Herbert Hoover endorsed the \$5,300,-000 000 European recovery program today as "a major dam against \$2000 of income after deductions and nouse is burning." Russian aggression."

The former President said the program "should produce economic, political and self-defense unity in western Europe.

"I believe it is worth taking the chance." Hoover said in his first public statement since President Truman's stop-Communism speech the past week. Mr. Truman called for quick adoption of the program as one of the most urgently needed parts of his new policy.

Hoover's statement was read to the House, which was debating the European recovery program for the second day as part of its \$6.200,000,-000 foreign aid bill.

pendents and an income of \$7000 IN THE SENATE, the question now pays \$1045. His bill would be of turning the atom bomb back to only \$780.15 if the new proposal military control was raised during becomes law-foreign affairs discussion.

Senator Bridges (R-NH) said (Continued on Page Ten)

Patrolman Discovers

Fire in Meat Market

The alertness of Patrolman Robert Scheigt, patroling his beat early this morning, was credited with preventing serious fire damage to the Fairway Market, 450-52 High street. Making his rounds at 2:15 o'clock, Scheidt noticed smoke in the nextdoor Superior restaurant and called day.

the Good Will Fire company. Investigating, firemen found an electric refrigerator motor smouldering in the cellar of the market. Firemen dagged the motor to the sidewalk and extinguished the fire with chemicals and water.

Although the two establishments

were filled with smoke, the only damage, about \$100, was to the

THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair and much cooler today. Mostly cloudy and cool tomorrow followed by occasional rain.

67 Mercury 43 High Antics Low

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

 early this morning were:

 4 a. m.
 43
 4 p. m.
 65

 5 a. m.
 43
 5 p. m.
 67

 6 a. m.
 44
 6 p. m.
 66

 7 a. m.
 43
 7 p. m.
 63

 8 a.
 43
 8 p. m.
 50

 9 a. m.
 44
 9 p. m.
 59

 10 a. m.
 47
 10 p. m.
 56

 11 a. m.
 49
 11 p. m.
 54

 12 m.
 55
 12 p. m.
 51

Easter Pets. Rabbits, W. Mice, Guines Pigs, Mock's, Master & Juniper Sts. Gardenias for Easter. Lester R. Daub. 114 S. Hanover St. Ph. 2288. Look for Food Specials. Hartenstine's Cocker Spaniel Pups for Easter. Market Ad. Page 11. Big Values! AKC. W. Johnson Phone 2908-R-1. Custom made awnings and repairs. Ajax Canvas Co. Ph. Boyert'n 422-R Longacra, Jewsler, 17 N. Handver. Kozak Bros. Cooper's Beer, P. 1935-W

active cloud that "kilis any one who which are now obsolete.

'Cloud' More Powerful

BOTH THE CLOUD and the bomb use the same material. he Valued at \$265,520 said, but the former is a vapor. area than is the atom bomb," he formed either by itself or by said. "and might make the area it sprinkling existing clouds with the material, while the latter is a detonation instrument. Martin told reporters the Navy

also has perfected guided missles out a ship at sea and destroy it. "We can sink the ship even

(Continued on Page Seventeen)

Lilies for Easter. Lester R. Daub, 14 S. Hanover St. Phone 2288. Quick Radio Repairs. Call 3830. f. Fegely & Son, 38 High St.

Than A-Bomb Revealed NEW YORK, March 24 (P) -The had new A-combs much more effec-United States has developed a radio tive than ones dropped on Japan,

with homing device that can search | register of wills office today.

if it is half way across the ocean," he said. "All we have

Work by appointment only. Toilets, bath tubs, lav., cab. sink. L R. Daub, Hardware, 114 S. Hanover. Diamonds, Wedding Rings. Chas.

TWO RELEASED UNDER BAIL IN STILL OPERATION

Farm Owner, Philadelphia Man Ordered to Appear Before Federal Grand Jury

Two men were released nder bail vesterday after hearings before United States commissioners in Reading and Philadelphia for their alleged part in the operation of a huge legal still two miles northwest of must be licensed and properly Bechtelsville.

The first was William S Gibson, 30, of Bechtelsville RD 1. He was charged with aiding and abetting in the operation of an illegal distillery before Commissioner Emerson B. Rasbridge, of Reading, yesterday afternoon.

Two agents of the Alcohol Tax Treasury department, appeared as prosecutors in the brief hearing as Gibson posted \$1000 bail Rasbridge said that the owner of the farm where the still was found would appear before a Federal grand jury and then before a Federal court.

THE SECOND MAN was James Zahner, 25. of Philadelphia, who was charged with transportation of materials designed for use in the operation of the illegal still.

Treasury agents wered looking for Zahner in the Philadelphia area yesterday when they spotted his As he rode down Roosevelt

boulevard, in northern Philadelphia, they crowded his truck to the curb and arrested him at 12:50 p. m. Zahner appeared before - Commissioner James H. Molley, of Philadelphia, yesterday afternoon, and posted bail. He also is slated for Federal grand jury and court Francis V. Wills, chief investigator and enforcement officer of out and turn the machine before

the Alcohol Tax Unit. Philadelphia the patrolman can complete the office, said that the ordinary parking ticket. nalty in charges resulting from still operations ranged up to five years imprisonment and \$19,000 fine. HE ADDED THAT the investi-

gation is continuing, and that the Federal agents are searching for the ringleaders of the gang, who were estimated to have manufactured 26,000 gallons of illegal alcohol since the past January and (Continued on Page Seventeen)

Purim Observance By Pottstown Jewry Opens in Synagog

The reading of the scroll of several minutes after the violation Esther and a party for members flag shows. In effect, it provides of the Hebrew and Sunday schools some extra time for the motorist last night opened the celebration and shows the inspecting officer of the Festival of Purim in the the machine is legally in operation. Mercy and Truth synagog for the If another nickel is inserted while Pottstown Jewish community.

Commemorating the deliverance of the Persian Jews from the plot of Haman, prime minister of King Ahasuerus, to wine them out, the festival is one of fov. It is celebrated not only by children's parties, but by the giving of charity and gifts to the poor.

The morning service at 6:45 o'clock today also will be marked by the reading of the scroll of Esther.

A carnival, with prizes for the children in the best costume, was t highlight of the Purim party at the synagog last night. A puppet! how depicting the story of Esther also was presented as one of the airedale came by and growled in- care. leatures of the party following the evening service.

Known as the "Feast of Lots," the festival received its name be- to join battle. cause, according to tradition, the date for the annihilation of the Jews was to be chosen by lot. "Pur-Death Overtakes George S. Stout at 91;

George S. Stout, 91, of 602 Sprace

street, who walked 200 miles in his

20's, outswam a criminal in his

40 s. outlasted three local plants

in his late 60's and outguessed two

doctors in his last years, died yes-

Death came at 10:10 a.m. in the

A former Pottstown policeman

and constable for 40 years, Mr.

Drive Planned To Rid Streets Of Stray Dogs their pets properly licensed will be

posted by Pottstown police throughout the borough soon in co-opera- areas, including the Reading area, tion with the oureau of animal in- of which Pottstown is a part. dustry of the State Department of Agriculture. The warnings will be posted

as part of a concerted drive to clear Pottstown streets of stray dogs in an effort to reduce the annual damage to Spring plant-All dogs over six months old

targed under the law. WHEN SUFFICIENT time has passed after the notices have been

posted. George Matthews, Ardmore, State agent of the bureau of animal ndustry, will inspect the borough. The owners of all dogs found runing loose, or of all unlicensed (Continued on Page Seventren)

ing the double nickel racket.

ing, it is a clear cut violation re-

gardless of the fact that another

nickel may be in the machine," he

"Offenders will receive parking

tags despite their protests to

the patrolman on a beat. Any

complaints may be made at the

insert a nickel in the meter, crank

up their full allotment of parking

time, and then place another nicke

in the machine. When their cars

are about to be tagged, they rush

ACCORDING TO BOROUGH

Electrician William H. Price, the

practice has caused receipts from

business district to fall off by more

"Patrolmen checking meters

now listen for the clock,"

Laughead explained. "If it has

stopped, they will tag the car

regardless of whether the owner

comes out to insert another

"Complaints of the meters be-

ing out of order will be investigated

immediately by Price If they are,

the ticket will not be issued. But,

if they are working, the ticket will

LAUGHEAD POINTED OUT

that meters continue to tick for

(Continued on Page Ten)

A fox terrier accidently bit the

hand of its owner, Mrs. Frederick

Decker, 719 Queen street, as it was

engaged in a fight that showed

The terrier was behind the picket

sults at him. Although the slats

While the bttle dog was re-

ceiving deep bites on the back.

Mrs. Decker ran out of the

house and tried to separate the

more pluck than good dog sense.

SNUBS OWNER'S GOOD GRACES

Dog's Nip Goes Astray

fence at his nome, when a large to Memorial hospital for dispensary

were too big for the airedale to slip little dog's back were being stitched.

through, the fox terrier slipped out Decker and police were searching

owner.

dog and all.

nickel or not.

The double nickel meter users

declared.

borough hall."

One Cent a Quart During May, June

The retail price of milk in Pottstown will drop one cent a quart for two months beginning May 1.

The State Milk Control commission yesterday ordered the cut for seven southeastern Pennsylvania milk marketing

had called for a 112-cent re-The cut applies only to May duction for three months startand June, After June 30, prices ing April I and a cutback of will revert to present levels. one cent after July 1.

Also decreed was a drop in producer prices of 40 cents per hundredweight (46 = quarts) for the ni to drop the one and a half-cent proposal was based on a fear that same duration. Pennsylvania-produced milk would

THE MAY-JUNE REDUCTION will bring the local price from 291; cents a quart to 19'z cents and producer prices from \$5.60 to \$5.20 a

hunaredweisht. The retail prices are for Grade B milk. Producer prices are based on milk with a 4 percent butteriat

content. The new order revised a previous proposal which met with stiff protests from dealers and

Schuylkill-River-Level -

Dropping Despite Rain;

Fair Weather Forecast

river basin.

33 inches.

some meters in the heart of the of rain in a 24-hour period would

With flood conditions prevailing

"At least two and a quarter inches

Only 4.9 feet of water was

measured at the Schuylkill

hridge yesterday where the

flood level is 16 feet. In spite

of the LI3 inches of rain which

feli Tuesday and early yester-

According to the bureau, the upper

eaches of the Schuylkill had even

less rain, lessening any possibility

weatherman predicted. Skies will be

fair and the mercury is expected to

scrappers. Her right hand was

nipped badly by her own dog

Although the termer had been

treated for rables in New York just

before the Deckers mover here the

past September, Mrs. Decker went

While the deep gashes in the

for the airedale and its woman

sa.d. 'the woman had vanished,

revents of the past. Mr. Stout often

'By the time I got home." he

of flood danger at this time.

drop a few degrees.

in the scramble.

be required to send the river up to

Pennsylvania, declaring: "To reduce producer prices for April in the face of the New producers. The tentative plan York action would be to invite more intensive 'pirating' at a time when metropolitan deal-Police Launch Campaign ers are lining up producers for

the Fall-Winter menths. "This commission cannot risk eopardizing Pennsylvania's milk On 'Meter-Beater' Racket supply by deliberately widening the pread between the prices competing New York dealers will pay Chief of Police James A. Laughead yesterday ordered, and those which Pennsylvania distributors can afford to pay under Pottstown patrolmen to clamp down on "meter-beaters" workthe retail consumer and minimum producer prices established by this commission." "If the red flag is showing and the clock has stopped tick-

The commission said its decis-

THE FEDERAL MILK admin-

istrator for New York this week

ordered a one-month postponement

The commission claimed a simi-

lar postponement was necessary for

in a scheduled reduction of pro-

be "pirated" to New York.

ducer prices.

THE AGENCY THEN went on to ompare the 2015 and 20-cent retail prices paid by consumer in the seven Eastern Pennsylvania milk marketing areas to 23½ and 22½ cents received in New York and New Jersey, respectively.

Minimum producer prices previously proposed for the seven areas ranged from \$4.90 to \$5.24 a hundredweight. This, the commission said, compared, unfavorably with \$5.79 put into

effect in New York. The New York price, the comhroughout the western portion of mission added, forced Pennsylvania the State, the Reading weather buits follow the same general course in order to protect. Pennsylvania's reau said yesterday there is no vitally important milk supply for

danger of floods in the Schuylkill Pennsylvanians on a sensible longrange basis. "This involves the adoption of a policy." the agency added, "inat looks beyond the short, Summer period of 'flush' production to the Fall and Winter months when the

milk supply will be greatly reduced in Pennsylvania as well- as in all neighboring states which actively compete for fluid milk in the same

True Christian Ideal day morning, the rivel level has been going down steadily. In Need of Revival, At Reading, where the flood level is 13 feet, 7.5 feet of water was Rev. Lineker Asserts measured vesterday. Rainfall was slight in that area, measuring only

A revival of the true Christian deal is necessary to defeat subversive ideas whose objectives seek the destruction of Christianity, the Rev. George A. Lineker, rector of No rain is in sight for today, the Christ Episcopal church, declared resterday

Speaking before the congregation at the noonday union Holy Week service in the First Presbyterian church, the Rev. Lineker urged the seeking and studying of every thought and act of Jesus Christ in the week

before Calvary. He based his sermon on the text of St. Matthew which showed the disregard Christ had for worship consisting only of outward show with no foundation of real religion, pointing to the fulfillment of the prophecy of the destruction of the temple.

THAT PROPHECY has its counterpart todav and holds a lesson we might well learn in Holy Work, he continued. rWe t∞ cherish a fanatical gride

in our established order," the Rev. Lineker went en to say. "Pride in our religion and in our American mstitutions.

"But our religion has become superficial," he declared. "The religious complacency among

professing Christians is a chalenge to God to de his worst. "It challenges an invitation to

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ON TRE-

ROLLIN SATLOR -pocketing a bus token. PAUL I. MOGEL

-cleaning his tobacco pipe.

HAROLD B. KEIM

JIMMY SEARFORS —recalling a World উত্তাহর ক্রমান he saw in 1942.

-washing a door wandow.

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Air Force Lets Down Bars In Drive for 25,000 Men

WASHINGTON, March 24 (AP)—The Air Force unexpectedly announced a drive for 25.000 more men today as a truck, which they recognized as one Senate committee heard clashing testimony on the need for of those they had followed recently universal military training and a draft bill.

Sentenced to Jail

The past week the Air Force said t had 312,000 men and would accept no more enlistments. But today it poosted its goal to 337,000 and to gain it, lifted the ban on ecruiting married men. The Senate armed services

British artillerymen brush snow from their field pieces after a storm swept over the Jerusalem area

March 16. The storm, which lasted for 24 hours, was one of the worst in many years in the usually-

committee studying President Truman's plea for a draft and UMT as a means of discourage ing Communist expansion received these contradictory arguments:

1 PERSONAL EXEMPTIONS letter to Chairman Gurney (R-SD) gave her support to universal milifor taxpayers and dependents would tary training as "a gesture which would be understood" by Russia. 2 MARRIED COUPLES would 2. Albert Einstein in a letter to be allowed to split their income for Gurney said he was convinced that tax purposes, even where one had there was 'no foreseeable threat of no income. This privilege, now alhostile invasion of the United lowed in only a dozen states with and consequently he States" community property laws, often reopposed UMT.

sults in a lower total tax bill for 3. Dr. Isiah Bowman, president of John Hopkins university, fav-3. EVERYBODY WHO had to ored UMT, saying "it is no good pay any income taxes would get for a town without a fire departpercentage reductions. These would ment to send in a mail order for 2 amount to 126 percent on the first fire engine when it hears that a exemptions; 74 percent on income

4. Arthur H. Compton. Who 200ve \$2000 and up to \$136,700, and helped plan use of atomic bombs percent on income above \$136,700. in the last war, favored both draft and UMT. He said the atomic bomb would offer little defense in present world conditions.

5. Seymour Linfield, New York a Henry A. Wallace supporter, bit-(Continued on Page Ten) Youth Is Injured

HERE ARE A couple of examples In Cycle Accident of \$5000 before personal exemptions now pays \$921.50 Federal income

suffered multiple lacerations of the face, scalp and hands last night when the motorcycle he was riding skidded off Route 422 near his home. and plunged down an embankment into a field.

Although his condition was described as "good" late last night. X-rays will be taken today. Dr. Earle residents temporary inconveniences. C. Manning said, since Kline has a but Borough Manager Dow I. Sears previous injury sustained when a yesterday gave assurance that the bullet creased his scalp while he results would be worth the trouble. fought on Okinawa with the Seventh Two more target ships of the Bikini division of the Army.

The accident happened while he was riding the cycle of Ira Rimby off Kwajalein Monday, the Navy near their nomes. He lost conscious ness when thrown to the ground. Kline was taken to the hospital by a brother, Richard, 18, who was

bor. It was credited with shooting one of the group that had been down three Japanese planes that taking turns riding Rimoy's motor-

Water Pressure Cut By Hydrant Flushing

Gerhard Eisler (above), al-

leged "No. 1 Communist" in the

United States, yesterday was

sentenced in U.S. District court

in Washington to serve one to

three years in prison. He was

charged with concealing his

Communist links when he ap-

plied for a permit to leave this

The hydrant-flushing program now under way may cause borough Two major complaints were rereived by the water company office concerning sediment - laden water

and drop in water pressure. The first is caused. Sears pointed out, by the frost and weather exremes of the past several months stirring up the sediment. Hydrants are being flushed now to rid the mains of much of this material, and he suggests that when water runs dirty in the homes that it be allowed to run freely for a few minutes to clear the heaviest sediment. A drop in water pressure will be only temporary while a nearby

hydrant is being flushed, he said.

and should not be a source of worry

Adolf Printz Estate

to householders.

By Staff Correspondent NORRISTOWN, March 24 - An inventory in the estate of the late Adolf Printz, 636 High street, Pottstown, shows a value of \$265 520 31. according to an appraisal filed in the

Mercury Milk Fund Ladies' Auxiliary, Post 780.

Reported previously 45.92 Total\$50.92 Ann's Beauty Salon. Phone 22-M.

Stout had been in failing health since 1943, when his wife, Catharine (Taggert) Stout, died after 61 vears of marriage. A few months after her death, he was taken to Pottstown hospital. His doctor said the 86-

home he had built in 1909.

year-old man had only hours to live, but he recovered and Closed all day Easter Sunday Binder's Drug Store, 307 High St. Look for Food Specials. Hartenstine's

hedge every Summer. He became ill again eight weeks ago. A second doctor said he had only hours to live, but he remained conscious and cheerful until the past Sunday when he lapsed into

Ex-Constable Noted for Versatile Feats

returned home with enough

energy left to insist on cutting

the grass and trimming the

a coma. HE SERVED 40 years as constable | county. from the Eighth ward, and from 1901 to 1917 also had been a Pottstown policeman, beginning in the days when police wore light gray

derbies and retiring when they wore high-collared blue coats with 16 brass buttons. Possessing a keen memory about

Daub, 114 S. Hanover St. Ph. 2288. perts. Tosher, 146 Chestnut, 2726-J. Market Ad. Page II. Big Values! tionery. Mercury Office. Hydrangeas for Easter. Lester R. The Edna Kendall Shop and

Assorted color Rytex Printed Sta- Look for Food Specials. Hartenstine's Daub, 114 S. Hanover St. Ph. 2288. Reading Hos. Outlet, Bahr Arcade. 114 S. Hanover St. Phone 2288. Heat in Winter. Cool in Summer. Watches, Diamonds, Wedding Rings Good Will Dance-Friday, Saturday Mike Raymond, 358 Cherry. Ph. 2231 Levin's, High and Hanovar streets. and Sunday. Dan Garber's Orch.

Market Ad. Page 11. Big Values! Azaleas for Easter. Lester R. Daub,

recaled his family with stories of his encounters with borough erimmals. Perhaps his favorite was of the suspect who ran down Hanover street, jumped into the Schuylkill and swam across. Mr. Stout, or as he was generally known, "Stoutte." ran after him, jumped in after him.

He was born near Sumneytown, the only child of the late Peter and Mary (Shelley) Stout. His father operated a powder mill before the Civil War, but was killed when the mill exploded a few years after (Continued on Page Seventeen)

Cinerarias for Easter. Lester R. | Antiques repaired and refin. by ex-

swam after him, and questioned the bewildered suspect in Chester

MIKE CARLINI -counting receipts in a cash register. LEROY INGHAM -winding a clock.

> -checking a musical arrange-BILL BARTMAN -breaking a co-worker's pencil points.

WALTER LEFFEL -opening a pack of coins. C. R. WILLIAMS -assembling an electrical

appliance. HAROLD SPAAR

Philadelphia Literature War Flares; College Professors Back Banned Books A literary storm blew up in Phila-Four days of vice squad raid-

delphia today. Back of it all is the question: "What is an obscene book?" Some Quaker City inhabitants

complained to police that such old-

ing the new best seller "Raintree County" by the late Bess Lockridge Jr. Inspector Craig Ellis who spearheaded the raids looked over the

ing netted 2000 volumes, Includ-

The association engaged an attorney to seek relief in the

Shop at One of the Following FAIRLAWN STORES

lehnsen, W. W., Levenzooà, L. R. Rothas, H. D. Frank, H. D. Binder, Arthur,

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LAMBS'

Boyertown | Christman, Howard 14 South Keim St. Frederick W. Erb. St. Peters Miller, Merle

Kenilworth Leon Stapleton Gilbertsville Warren F. Werner,

"We consider it not merely a local issue," declared the association resolution, "but one involving he fundamental rights of free

confiscated books and observed:

cleaned up.

alked back aplenty.

PHILADELPHIANS English Professor Robert E. Spiler of the University of Pennsyl-"The censorship implies an exercise of literary judgment that no

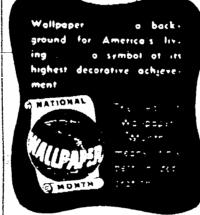
rice squad is equipped to exercise "Most of the books under debate are recognized for their literary excellences and some have been long and widely in circulation." Commented author Barrows

Dunham, a professor at Temple

"Literature is not pornography but the police are not ordinarily good judges of the difference.

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Hits War Talk



Bulgaria (above) lashed out at war alarms in the United States. He said yesterday in Sofia that there is no war propaganda in the Soviet Union.



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ed Mr. and Mrs. John Fries.

ing in Philadelphia.

past week-end.

Mrs. Mayme Dampman and Mrs

Charles Bilharz attended a wed-

Mrs. Bud College, Pottstown,

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ibach en-

Mr. Gary Buckwalter spent a day

ertained friends and relatives the

risited Mr. and Mrs. David Shipe.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dampman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Porter, Pine Swamp. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pries visit-

Miss Beatrice Orrs visited Miss The Northern Chester county Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Styer and sportsmen's show was well attended. amily, Churchtown, visited Mr. and

The event was held in the Warwick school, Knauertown.





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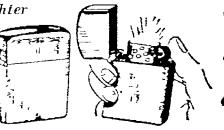
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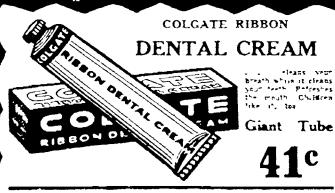
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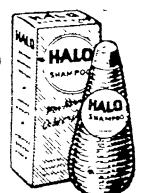
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THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1948

The deril loves nothing better than the intolerance of reformers, and what's been done? Let's take a look at the dreads nothing so much as their char-record. ity and patience.—J. R. Lowell.

Law Can't Be Enforced

ALL THE good that might accrue from 2. Better and more housing facilities.

limiting motorists to a 35-mile-per-hour Sure, we have some housing projects unspeed on the West High street death trap is der way. These were planned long before likely to be nullified by the Pottstown police the past election. And little or nothing department's failure to observe the law itself!

Scene of many a fatal accident, West High our schools. Are these "higher standards" street was rated Pottstown's worst accident a return to the old outmoded methods spot. It became exceedingly dangerous to of teaching? That seems to be the policy pedestrians and was more dangerous to bus of the new school board. If, as the Demopatrons who had to cross the highway because crats promised, we shouldn't stay geared police patrols were unable to break up the speeding

to the State of Pennsylvania, making a 35mile-per-hour speed mandatory.

ALL ITS GOOD MOTIVES BY FAILING TO ABIDE BY THE STATE VEHICLE CODE.

The result is that any smart lawyer could get speeders off without fines . . . unless the Pottstown police department quickly corrects its errors.

Signs limiting speed on that West High street stretch to 35 miles an hour were erected a few weeks ago.

highway from Manatawny street west to the the street. It's a good thing Summer isn't has praised the President for the first borough limits. That portion of the road is one and one-

fifth miles long. Now the State vehicle code requires that

signs shall be placed at intervals of "not more than one-righth of a mile." This means that at least NINE signs should be placed on each Mr. Sears, the borough manager, for his side of the road.

borough line a sign announcing the "end of a lot less than we needed a few years speed limit' also must be placed. The exact wording of the vehicle code administration.

follows: . . . official signs (must be) erected on the righthand side of the highway iscing the traffic to be controlled. This

limit shall be observed for a distance beyond said sign for not more than oneeighth of a mile. An additional sign shall be placed at intervals not greater than one-eighth of a mile, and any extension of such limited zone shall be marked by additional signs in like manner. "At the end of such limited zone, there

shall be an official sign, similarly placed as to traffle, indicating the end of the limited rone."

when the persons entrusted with its enforce-

This was pointed out in the case of the slipshod manner in which the bicycle-licensing ordinance has been handled. That law isn't being enforced because it was bungled from the start.

Now the West High street speedway may be revived in all motor-roaring, brake-screech- stomach can be controlled and healed. ing, bone-crushing glory unless Pottstown's little with this disorder unless he has Navy officers and press agents seeking to the latter of the State law.

Out the best doctor in the world can do name the latter of the State law. When a Mexican won Hendrick Hudson discovered the latter of the State law. When a Mexican won Hendrick Hudson discovered the latter of the State law.

It would be regrettable if the killing were For this reason those afflicted should to be revived on that dangerous stretch.

Festival of Purim

THE Festival of Purim, a Jewish holiday, is being observed this week. The 2000 year first part of the intestine, known as were saved. But the important fact is old holy day, which had its source in the the duodenum, causes attacks of pain that Tinker is only one of many small Book of Esther is observed with joy, prayer which come on from one to three hours storage centers where fairly effective and thanksgiving starting last night.

Lots, begins at sundown Wednesday evening creased secretion of acid by the stomach, tave coatings. and concludes at sundown today. The date, Hence, in controlling pain the doctor according to the Hebrew calendar is the 11th will seek to counteract both conditions.

Purim commemorates the deliverance of cessive acid because it is not only a source the Jews of Persia from the evil machinations of pain but a constant intitation to ulcer of Haman, the prime minister of King and a preventive of healing. Various

The Geologists Keep Step

Despite last year's peak production of two billion barrels of oil, the United States dis-covered about 700,000,000 barrels more than it tapped. At year's end, known United States reserves were 24.741.660,000 barrels, an all-time high.—Time Magazine

many fronts, we reprint the above cheery maxture of olive oil and magnesium trisilinote with genuine pleasure. For 20 years at cate with milk, be given every two hours. least, the country has been warned that greedy, reckless exploitation of our oil regreedy, reckless exploitation of our oil reserves is threatening dire ruin. Yet the geologists have more than kept up with both and fish and chicken. Highly seasoned usace and waste. Conservation still is defi- foods and bulky foods should not be nitely needed, for lack of this kind can't go eaten. on forever. Novertheless—a deep bow to our geologists and mineralogists for having taken for stomach ulcer itself or for the incare of us so well so long! And we might creased amount of acid found in the

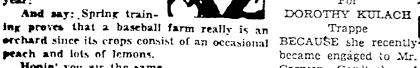
Editor. The Mercury, Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal. I see by the papers where Washingthis year. Green onion ad-

dicts now may indulge heartily of their favorite regetable, thus becoming, simultaneously, obnoxious and patriotic! Children should be

taught science as soon as they can read, says an educator, From paper cutouts to microscope in one

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GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

Hopin' you air the same,

Election Promises Still Unfilled, He Declares

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Reviews Democrats' Record

To the Editor: It's now almost five months since we elected a Democratic school board and council. And we elected this party ticket because we were promised civic improvements such as we've never known in borough history. But

I. A bigger and better public library. This has been a dead issue since election day. Our new administration hasn't even explained what it plans to do, much less take any action to improve our library. 2. Better and more housing facilities.

has been done since. 3. Higher educational standards in

to the horse and buggy era in educational standards, where are we going now? It seems as if we're just going - no direc- cipal concern, of course, is that Mr. Tru-So borough council "signed off" the stretch tion in particular.

In the past five months the Republi- tion will mean their defeat in a primary cans should have collected more than or election contest. BUT THEN POTTSTOWN WIPED OUT enough political todder for the next campaign. I'm changing my political horse next election.

DISGRUNTLED

Flour Sacks and the "New Look"

wife hasn't acquired the "New Look." When I was a kid, the girls used to go vital Eastern area. to school in dresses made from flour to school in dresses made from flour Shaggy-haired John Rankin, of Missis-sacks. I'm reminded of them every time sippi, who has been at least a non-com-having their first wedding anniver-There are six signs on each side of the I see one of the new styles floating down missioned officer in the Southern revolt,

Pottstown

Action Comes With Patience

To the Editor: My hat comes off to plan to flush out the water mains. It In addition, the law requires that at the shows that if we have a little patience,ago-we'll get action from our borough Pottstown

A CITIZEN

War Will Come Home

To the Editor: The rapid gains of the present third party clearly demonstrate the country's hunger for peace. If only we could gag all those who want a war for commercial gains, then there would be hope. Do commercialists realize they will be the first victims of the atom pomb?

The atom bomb will make wars democratic in the future. We can't send a few between the Appalachian and Rocky body will be doubling for her either, is a graduate of Cornell university. million boys across the ocean to take all Mountains will not suffice to throw those the blows. We'll get the blows right on states into the Democratic column. our own doorsteps, so it is better to chance getting along with other countries There can be little respect for the law than be blown to smithereens.

Boyertown

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M. D.

WITH good treatment, ulcer of the

but the best doctor in the world can do the complete cooperation of the patient. understand not only their own role in producing a cure, but also just what the Field near Oklahoma City destroyed 50 doctor tries to accomplish with the dif- planes and damaged 50 others, mostly ferent phases of treatment.

after eating. This pain may be due either pursuit and bomber ships have been The festival, also known as the Feast of of the stomach and bowel or to an in- struments, and maintained in preserva-

He will be coubly concerned about exarugs have been used to control the acid, such as mixtures of baking soda and alkaline substances. Aluminum hydrocaloride is also used to absorb the acid.

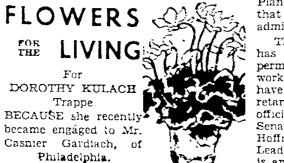
Another way of neutralizing the acid is to give milk continually through a tube which has been passed through the stomach into the first part of the intestime. This should be done over a period of several weeks. If this treatment is WITH crisis and calamity howling from so not practicable, it is suggested that a

The patient is also fed at two-hour

We do not know either the exact cause give Mother Farth a hand at the same time, stomach in these cases. We do know, however, that both conditions occur in thin, active, energetic persons who live under high nervous tension.

as vagotomy, it consists of cutting the at Harrisburg. Harry Hopkins silenced part of the vagus nerve which leads to the president of the Workers Alhance the stomach, thus sparing this sensitive when he gave him a job with WPA, and PUNKIN CORNERS. organ some of the nervous strain under he headed an FDR political organization which such people live. It has been in the 1936, 1940 and 1944 contests. found useful in some cases.

ton asks gardeners to increase their spaces patient should realize that he must still lated discovery of his more recent activitake precautions to prevent a recurrence, ties. During the war he was a labor careful study by the physician is neces- board. Despite wholesale firings, he mansary to make a diagnosis.



WASHINGTON

Shift on Palestine Issue Cost Truman More Votes

By RAY TECKER

WASHINGTON, March 24-President Truman's reversal of his attitude on the partition of Palestine may cost him essential political support in the great, By MERCURY READERS metropolitan areas of the Northwest and



the Middle West. But it has apparently satisfied many Democrats on Capitol H.ll from other sections of the country. No presidential shift in years has created such mumbo - jumbo _ of confusion among the minority. Such hard - working

ireyhorses as Tamman**y** Member Emanuel Celler, of Brooklyn, and Adolph Sabath, of Chicago, who often endured catcalls and booing in the chamber be-Adolph Sabath cause of his idolatrous defense of P. D. R.'s proposals, have soured on Mr. Truman.

The cloakroom remarks of many, erstwhile loval Democrats are unprintable. Many members have declared that they may not even seek re-election because or their chagrin. Others threaten to run again as Democrats, but they insist that they will dissassociate themselves from the head of the ticket. Their prin-

man's back-down on the Palestine ques-

SATISFACTION: Mr. Truman's ing that Alan Marshall, who retired right now. It should win in a trot at the switch, however, has given satisfaction to from the screen about two years Ralph Waldo Emerson? Francis many members, both Democratic and Re- ago because of illness, is studying Parkman? Giles Lytton Strachey? publican, from the South and the Middle to become a min-West, Publicly and privately they com- ister. Last we'd mend him for withdrawing from a pro- heard, he was well gram which might have meant dispatch again and about To the Editor: Thank the Lord my of American troops to the Holy Land, as to step before the well as Russia's lawful entry into this cameras... Sylvia

far off and we'll get a gander at the knees time in many months. So has Ed Gossett, of Texas, the author of an electoral college proposal that would operate against orchids and hiles Mr. Truman in a close race, if it could become effective by November.

REGRET: Republicans from the small cities and rural areas regret Mr. Truman's project for Apple Valley near Vicabandonment of the Palestine issue, torville to make it resort-competi-Their mail has convinced them that the prospect of American involvement at the eastern end of the Mediterranean would have been their strongest asset in seeking get a gander at the desert without re-election. The feeling in the hinterland over this question is almost unbelievably

Impartial observers, however, consider the Truman shift as the final self-driven nail in his political coffin. Loss of the Jewish vote in the populous centers, as now seems probable, will cost him electoral ballots in the most important states.

and sentimental support he may pick up songs in "Roadhouse" - and no-born in Binghampton, N. Y., and

"My only explanation for the President's sudden and strange reversal," com- of Spanish-speaking fans, is in commenced her career in moving mented a Congressional old-timer, "is town in search of a Hollywood lead-pictures in 1935 with "Dante's In- Broadway Bulletin Board that he doesn't give a damn whether he ing man for her next picture. She ferno." Since World War II, Rita re-elected or not! Otherwise, he lost Ricardo Montalban to Metro has made a brief visit abroad wouldn't be committing political suicide where he's made two pictures in so platantly!

PLANES: It took a tornado tearing through Oklahoma to reveal that the United States is not so weak in the air as Russia has been led to believe by the auctioning off kisses for charity at deliberately pessimistic remarks of Army- a big bazaar. A lot of Americans IT HAPPENED TODAY pressure Congress into larger appropriation the raffle. They watched him go Hudson river on March 25, 1609. tions for this arm.

The twister which swept over Tinker bombers, according to the official es-Ulcer, either in the stomach or the timates. There is no report on how many

> SUPERIOR: While the information is obviously kept secret, it is known that there are many, many thousands of B29's which can be made ready for action within a few weeks. They are not the most modern type of bomber, but no nation has any superior plane in volume manufacture. Nor could they match our strength short of many months.

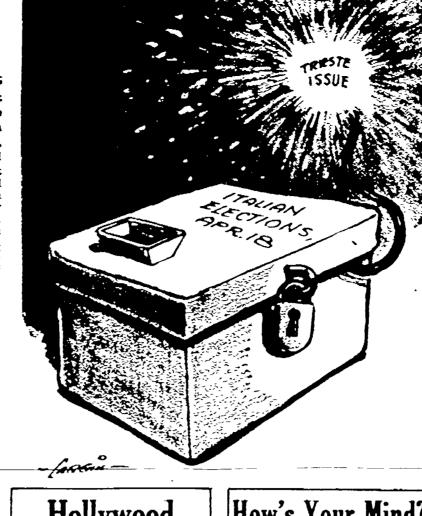
As Secretary Forrestal and Secretary Marshall frequently warn, "push button warfare" is still some years distant. Jet-propelled planes which do 600 to 700 miles an hour are in the experimental rather than the finished and mass-production stage. Our amazingly large cache of World Nar Il air weapons will surprise and damage any enemy that thinks the planes which pulverized Germany and Japan have been scrapped.

DISCOVERY: David Lasser, Eleanor Roosevelt's radical protege, disappeared from view several years ago after a turbulent career during which he headed Grampaw Oakley ing of a new operation for ulcer. Known White House and the Pennsylvania capitol

He is again the central figure of a Even after his ulcer has healed, the Congressional squabble as a result of be-When symptoms of ulcer occur, a consultant with the War Production aged to survive as a manpower expert for the Harriman Committee that submitted data for formulation of the Marshall Plan. Despite demals, there are reports that he may show up in the agency which administers ERP. The House un-American committee

has privately debated the question of permitting such an alleged radical to work in such an important post. They have asked embarrassing questions of Secretary Harriman and other government officials. But Mr. Harriman has informed Senator Vandenberg, as well as Rep. Clare Hoffman, of Michigan, and Minority Leader John W. McCormack, that Lasser is an "able and efficient aide."

'TINDER BOX OF EUROPE'



Hollywood By EDITH GWYNN

HCLLYWOOD, March 24 - Our

eyebrows went up to THERE hear-

Sidney and Carlesary lunch behind : a huge brandyglass filled with of the valley at Ramonoffs ... A Hollywood architect has designed

Alan Marshall a million dollar tion for Palm Springs. If they keep building up all the lovely, rugged spots, you soon won't be able to looking past a neon sign!

a row with Esther Williams al- MODERN MANNERS

Hayworth was in Mexico City, and to Rill to collect his prize—and saw This date is also Maryland Day, him take her by the arm, and in commemorating the first Roman front of a hysterically laffing audi- Catholic mass which colonists sent ence, kiss her ON THE HAND! ... over by Lord Baltimore celebrated We're glad to know that "The Gay when they landed in 1634. Intruder," the new comedy that will have John Emery and his wife, Tamara Geva in the star spots. kids the youknowhat out of all those "psychological dramas" we've all been getting for screen fare the engineer, and of Emil "Dutch" last couple of years. It's about I eonard, baseball pitcher. Contime! With the possible exception gratulations! of "Spellbound" and one or two others, we'd bet none of those HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT? thrillers thrilled anybody except the feller who produced 'em!

. . . JOAN McCRACKEN and Jack tail. Dunphy are on the verge of a dirge 2 Emerson, essays: Parkman, . . . That sequel to "Arch of Tri- history, Strachey, biography. umph" that F ic Maria Remarque 3. Yes, they perspire through the is working on, only carries over one mouth and through the pads of character from the first book. That their feet, which have sweat glands. of Ravic, the doctor. The sequel, "Shadow March" is about post-war in the atmosphere or surface surturned from his honeymoon a the solar system is there light, rechanged man. He's now sporting a flected light of the sun. full-grown mustache which makes him look less the cowboy and more 10rnia, for Pather Walter Schmidt's starts a new picture any minute in that area by 83 percent . . . Greto settle their legal tiff.

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

4. Is the space between the earth and the sun light or dark?



Ex-stage actor

JOBS UPON A TIME

didn't know . . . Rosita Diaz, idol Mexico, then at Agua Caliente. She

Do not jorget that even where it is not against the law to smoke in REMINDS US OF the time Rita shops, it is a dangerous habit.

William S. Knudsen, industrial

1. No, Eke the chimpanzee, orang-utan and gibbon, the gorilla

4. Space is perpetual night. Only Paris—natch! . . . Roy Rodgers re- rounding planets and planetoids. in

shave it soon though, because he has cut down juvenile delinquency Meantime he and Republic have yet gory Peck and his Greta, back from BING CROSBY has agreed to also for Greg to rush into the starnarrate a picture that's being made ring role of "Yellow Skies"—the moby the citizens of San Jose, Cali- roaring Western we told you about.

Pottstown Sketches By PHILLIPS



don't you enlarge your vocabulary."

How's Your Mind?

Do gorillas have tails? With what types of nonfiction writing do you associate

Do cats perspire?



Ex-dancer

CHARLOTTE GREENWOOD years as an actor, comedian and winds up her nine months tour playwright. He has written 150 with the show, "I Remember Mom- playlets, vaudeville sketches, and ma" next week. Harriet Parsons' plays which were produced by Sam of Route 83 between Potistown and Phoemovie of it is destined to be play- Harris and A. H. Woods. Herbert ing the theaters for about nine made his screen debut as playwright way department pending word of Federal years — judging from its general and actor about 1913 in "Mind Your grants. excellence and the raves it's get- Business," and has made many On the other hand, the scattered ung . Ida Lupino will sing three pictures since that time. He was She's a gal who can do her own Lovely Rita Hayworth danced at warbling any time in case you the Foreign club in Tia Juana

HAPPY BIRTHDAY March 25 is the natal day of

like a city slicker. He'll have to Santa Clara Youth Center which the Florida fishin trip—in time for the Academy Awards affair - and

In Retrospect

50 Years Ago

Robert and Joseph Johnson and Alfred Lee discovered the fire. An arsonist is ings by neighbors. P. H. S. DEBATE - The C Class

Literary society of the Pottstown High Civil War era. Ethel Schaeffer and name recalling the "passing over." . . . Eugene T. A. Mullen spoke for the negative.

THIEF GETS SUIT - A new suit of clothing was stolen from the tailor shop of Howard P. Dampman, 253 High street, by a thief who gained entrance by jimmying a rear door. The suit was valued at

25 Years Ago

CLOSE GLASGOW SCHOOL -- The | IITTLE WONDER the hearty Norse felt school board voted to close the Glasgow that the world died each Winter, or

TALK MERGER - Reynolds and Blaine castles, Knights of Golden Eagle, plan to merge. Committees have been appointed to complete plans.

materials in the yard were destroyed.

10 Years Ago March 25, 1938

FATAL FALL - J. P. Smith, 58. proprietor of a park at Spring Mount, died from injuries suffered in a fall from a chair at his home. He struck his head in falling. STAMP EXHIBIT - Harry Shuhart,

Sanatoga, won first prize with his exhibit

of British Coronation stamps at the 5th

annual Pottstown Stamo club exhibit. Moving Picture Comedian Hugh Tilghman Hauseman, of Half Way House, Herbert was on the stage for 23 and Edward Lee Neiman, this borough, also were trophy winners. NEW ROAD DELAY — Reconstruction

nixville is being held up by the State High-

Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

HOWARD HUGHES, the multimillionaire aviation genius, is on the verge of waltzing down the aisle with a Chicago society beauty . . . Broadway choreographer Jerome Robbins-this sea-

son's most applauded

disbarment for his

part in a "black mar-

ket baby" set-up. The

scandal is slated to

hit the headlines any

day now . . . Tyrone Power and his Linda

Christians have dis-

Tobias . . .



running altogether . . .

speare was right about together.
the course of true love "So, what would you advise? Is the e the course of true love June Haver never running smooth. In fact Hollywood cynics are making book

on how long it will be before it stops

Bandleader Jimmy Zito finally has agreed to ease the way for June Haver's and more introverted with each succeedis an anthropoid age and has no divorce. He has given his promise not to contest her suit . . . Joe Bigelow, former prominent New York advertising executive, is critically ill in a Santa Monica hospital after a heart attack. TIP TO FEATURE EDITORS:

One of the more recent additions to the Harry Conover modeling stable toted a machine gun as a guerilla fighter in Yugoslavia during the war. She'll send chills up your spine with her tales - if she'll talk . . . Their doctor has told the Johnny Johnston's (Kathryn Grayson) to expect the Stork on Labor Day . . .

Insiders hint that screen starlet Barbara Lawrence, recent victim of California's Jack the Ripper, wasn't knifed in a theatre - as reported but in a slum district which she had visited at night without proper protection . . . The Thomas Carnegie Jrs. will Miami Beach it. He's the steel

shaky his interest in show business is color and beauty of nature. now secondary . . . John Alden Talbot Jr., who broke into the headlines when them to the hospital and have the catahe romanced Lana (or vice versa) now racts removed. Many of these same blind swoons when Ann McKee is in view, people can then read and sew with ex-They're Palm Beach's hottest romance... cellent success after the simple but deli-

warned by his studio to stop drinking or lens called a cataract. permit them to buy up his contract cheap. The studio moguls could defeat for it doesn't even require a general aneshim in court on a "moral turpitude" thetic. It may cost \$200 or \$200, but what count but they like him too much to finish is such a price compared to 10 years more off his career . . . Film producer Dore of good vision? Schary's mother is seriously ill . . . If your elderly relatives are hard of Theatre business was "off" so drastically hearing and hence feel aloof because they last week that you could get seats to are not able to keep up with the converevery hit in town except "Mr. Roberts" .. sation and gossip around them, see if

Nigel Stock of "You Never Can Tell" are artificial hearing aid. hand holding . . . From behind the Iron Curtain: A big battle — the noisiest so dentist, and see that they have a workfar — is raging between Premier Stalin able set of teeth. Our grandparents often and his top advisors. This week's hissing target in the local For, lacking a good set of artificial

first appeared in flickers) is toying with and rolls. the idea of accepting the lead in a Broad- Remember, you cannot remain young

ALL AROUND THE TOWN A Union of Ideals... Where It Started...

March 25, 1898

INCENDIARY FIRES — William H. Christian celebration of the Resurrec-Saylor's feed house on Madison street near tion, is a monument to the fact that man the railroad tracks was damaged by fire. can—has benefited by a union of ideals. Take the name Easter, itself, rooted as is blamed. A frame house and stable on the is deep in ancient Teutonic and Anglopremises of the late Mrs. Mary A. Long- Saxon tradition. It can be traced far enecker, in Cedarville, were set on fire, back to the dim days of the barbaric Oil soaked rags were found in the build- Norsemen, to their Spring festival celebrating the return of their goddess, Ostara. the goddess of Spring. Yet, according to the Encyclopedia Americana, the festivals school held a debate. Caroline Lessig and of spring are almost universal. The Greeks. Chiton P. Buckwalter won the decision of Latins and French had their Pascha. the judges speaking for the affirmative Pasqua, and Paques, all derived from the on the question whether the Revolutionary ancient Chaldean celebration of Pascha War period was more critical than the and the Hebrew equivalent, Pesach, a

> THE TRADITIONAL Easter bunnies and gay eggs come to us from the fierce Vikings who scourged the sea in their great dragon ships. Their Easter -"Ostara" or "Eastre"-was a festival to celebrate the rebirth of the world, when the goddess Ostara cloaked the dead earth in bright new greenery and brought back the sun after six long months of arctic night and ice ...

teacher, has resigned, effective at the end that Spring brought unbounded joy to of the month. Members of the school their rockbound flords and rugged board are F. T. Cadmus, Rev. C. Harry mountains. The egg and the rabbit be-Kehm, H. M. Lessig, F. C. E. Mihlhouse, came to them symbols of the reproduction George Q. Sheppard and Irvin T. Warner. of nature, the rebirth of the world. Even the coloring of eggs comes down to us from these warriors who looked up to the heavens and plucked the flickering spectra of the northern lights down to decorate those symbolic eggs. Fires were lighted \$500 FIRE — A spark from a Pennsyl- on hilltops by the Vikings to "disperse the vania railroad locomotive was blamed for germs of evil so far as the fire spread a grass fire at the foundry premises of its light." Around these purifying fires, John A. Selinger, Bramcote., The West danced the young men and women who End Fire company saved buildings, but hoped for marriage during the following

> Hebrew, Egyptian, Roman and Christian, even the Maypele dances from Eleusinian Greeks, we usher in Spring, the rebirth of the world, the Resurrection, or the release of Persephone. Perhaps with it will come the much needed budding of new hope—the lifting of man's spirit in a dark and unhappy world. TIVE-AWAY DEPT. - Mrs. Anna Hisa, 406 Beech street, has a one-year-old

SO, WITH the colored eggs and

Easter bunnies from the barbarie

Viking, feast and festival from

black and white female for terrier to give to the first caller offering it a good home. Anyone wanting the dog may call in person or may reach Mrs. Hiss by calling 2823-J . . . John N. Bohannon, a former manager of the Spicer Manufacturing company, now is a registered real estate broker in Clearwater, Fla. . . . Sounds in the night: Customer: What kind of pie is this? Waitress: What does it taste like? Customer: Glue. Waitress: It's peach. The apple tastes like purty.

The Worry Clinic By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

dance fashioner-has CAROLINE B., aged 68, is a grandparted from his wife, the former Rose mother. "Dr. Crane, it seems to me that she A prominent New has been failing rapidly the past year

York lawyer is facing or so," her daughter told me. "She used to be so active and peppy. Now she seems to be losing contact with her environment "She is fairly well off financially, but

she will scarcely spend a penny on herself. However, she is generous enough with the grandchildren, but she hardly covered that Snake- buys enough food to keep body and soul

> any way of changing her?" IT IS TYPICAL of people to grow more cautious and frugal as they advance in years. Elderly people also become more

> ing birthday. Instead of having hundreds of social contacts, they gradually reach the place where they are shut off from life. They no longer have a job or teach a Sunday

> school class, or belong to a bridge club. They have long since dropped out of other club work, and with increasing feebleness, they may not even attend church on Sunday, where they might still meet friends.

In the first place, make sure their eyes

and ears and teeth are in the best possible

shape. Don't permit any unnecessary shutters to blot out the beauty and enjoyment of this world. Thus, if you want to give a unique type of birthday present, anniversary remembrance or Christmas gift to your aged parents or grandparents, get them

What is to be done?

suited to their eyes. Even wealthy old people will skimp and save to such an extent that they will stumble around with eye glasses that no FRANK SINATRA'S health is so longer permit them to enjoy fully the Moreover, if they have cataracts, take

a pair of new glasses which are perfectly

A top motion picture name has been cate operation of removing the foggy This operation is not dangerous to life,

Olive Brook's daughter Faith and you can't get them fitted with a good

Then take such elderly folks to your

have anemia owing to improper diet. newsreels is Gen. Bennett Meyers, shown teeth, they refuse raw vegetables and on his way to jail . . . Norma Shearer meats, confining themselves chiefly to (who looks dreamier now than when she mashed potatoes and gravy, plus coffee

way play . . . Songwriter Buddy ("Till and vigorous without eating the diet of The End of Time") Kaye and his wife youth! With good teeth, however, your will lullaby in September. It'll be their and vitamins, though high in fats and carbohydrates.



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Obituaries

KING STREET, died at 3 o'c.ock last night in Potistown hospital. He was admirted to the hospital two weeks ago and had been criteally ill since the past Sunday.

A native of Amiryville, Mr. Mauhad hed with his brother. Wellington, in Pine Forge for most of his life Never married, he had een employed at the Pine Iron works for near's half a century,

Twenty-mine years ago he moved to Pottstown to the home of Mr and Mrs. Alvin Bacoman. She is his niece. Twenty years ago he

Mr. Mauger was a member of Amityvil'e Lutneran church and of Pottstown Locge 369, Loyal Order

Surviving are his project, Wellington, 24 King street, and a sister, Mrs. Manuel Brown, Monstelle Funeral arrangements will be an-

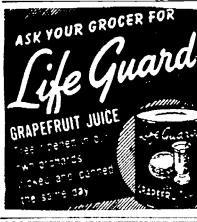
Funeral services for ELMER H BOYER, OF 8 EAST HIGH STREET, STOWE, an employed the Stanley Flagg and company plant for the past 52 years, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'c'ook from a funeral home at 112 North Wash-

The Rev Kenneth R. Anderson, pastor of S. Peter's Lutheran church. Stowe, will of clate Interment will be made in Pottstown West End cemetery.

AOPA Unit to Hold Second Meeting Tonight

Plans for the first breakfast flight of the newly-organized Pottstown area unit of the Aircrast Owner and Pilots association will be a cussed at a meeting tonight it YMCA auditorium.

The session will be the first for the AOPA group since its organization meeting on Feb 26 Vernon Shaffer, temporary president, will preside. Time for the meeting has



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ordered today as a result of the 10dispute between Lewis and Van onv-old soft coal strike, and Presi-Horn has raged for eight months. ent Truman nameo a three-man board to investigate the causes of North Coventry Grange

The Interstate Commerce commission ordered a 25 percent reduction in coal buring frieght service, effective midnight next Tuesday and continuing through April 20 unless the order is modified.

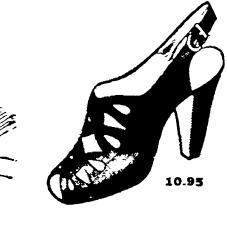
About 67 percent of frieght iovement is by coal burners.

AN OFFICE of Defense Transporation order for a similar cur in coal-burning possenger train service became effective the bast Sunday The railway express agency said currailed rail operations were "serlously affecting' shipments to the

The nation was eaught with only a 29-day average supply above ground when most of the miners walked out March 15 after John L Lewis said operators had "dishonored" a con-

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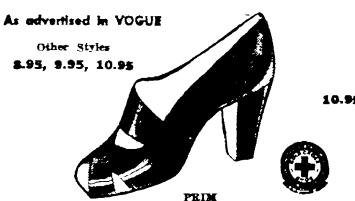


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service. This would be paid from a The Rev. Dr. Allen S. Meck, presiwelfare and rettrement fund, which ient of the Lancaster Theological seminary of the Evangelical and Re-But Lewis and Ezra Van Horn, rustee for the mine owners in the formed Churches, will be guest speaker on the Easter program of fund, have disagreed over who is eligible to share the pensions. A the Rotary club tonight.

Program chairman for the meet-

ing, walca will be dela in the Eiks nome at 6 o'clock, will be the Rev States, Britain and France an-John B. Frantz, paster of Trinity nounced they favored return of Reformed church Trieste to Itals

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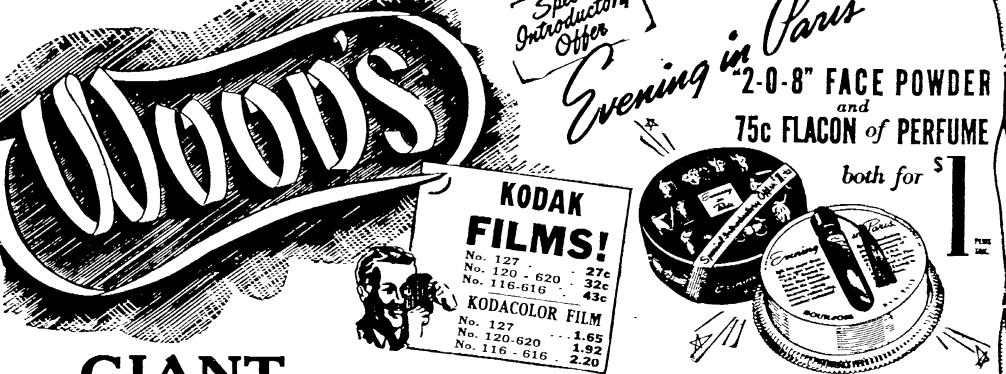
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SAN FRANCISCO, March 24 (2)

-Dr Bernard A. Cody, who police said killed his wife and clubbed his mother-in-law Monday night, died in a hospital tonight of injuries incurred when he crashed his speeding auto against a concrete wall.

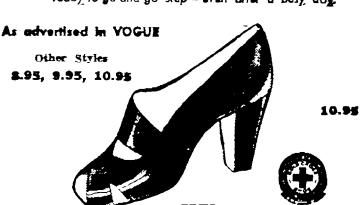
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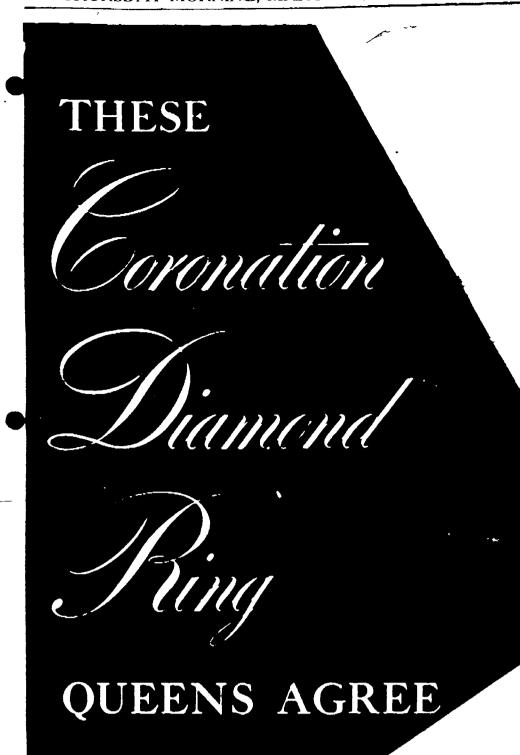
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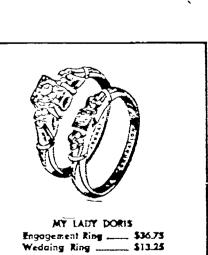
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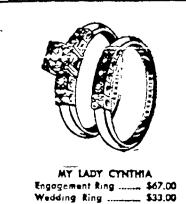




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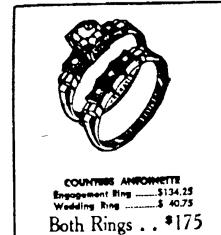
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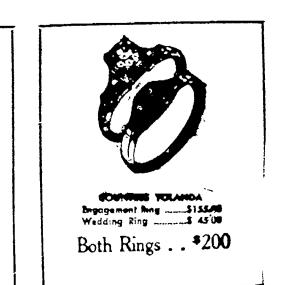












Senate-House Group Okays Bill to Extend **Controls Over Rents**

WASHINGTON, March 24 (#)new rent control law permitting "home rule" decisions to be appealed to a special Federal court was agreed upon today by a Senate-

The bill was to be put into final form tonight after committeee aides had written it into legal language. Both House and Senate then must

Without the bill, rent controls would expire next Wednesday might. The MII extends them, in modified form, for one year.

House members of the joint committee agreed to modification of their "home rule" provision. This would have given local rent boards complete authority to raise rent ceilings or remove controls en-

SENATOR CAIN (R-Wash) said the conferees agreed to let the emergency court of appeals conduct "a full review" when a local board and the housing expeditor disagree on a recommendation to change rent levels or remove controls.

This court, made up of Federal district radges, was originally established in the Price Control act of 1942. Its members are named by the chief justice of the United States. Under the compromise bill:

RENTS COULD be increased up to 15 percent where landlord and tenant agreed on a lease to run through 1949.

Tenants who agreed to a 15 percent hike under the present law could not be charged another. Those tenants signed leases good through 1948. Their present rents would be frozen from Jan. 1, 1949, to the end of March, 1949

Controls would be removed from housing accommodations covered by leases which were terminated between Jan. 1, 1948, and the effective date of the

Controls would end on nonhousekeeping rooms in private homes if there were no more than two paying guests in the home. Controls on regular rooming and boarding houses could be removed by the housing expediter if he thought it advisable

to give a 60-day eviction notice except for (a) non-payment of rent or (b) where the tenant has become a nuisance. Evictions in those law, which in some places requires less than a 60-day notice. Under the present law all evictions are subject to local regulation. Tenants could be evicted on

60-day notice where the landlord planned (a) to recover, the quarters for the personal use of a member of his family, (b) to make substantial alterations for continued use as housing, (c) to demolish the accommodations, or (d) to withdraw the quarters from the rental market

The housing expediter would be required to appoint local rent ad visory boards in any state, or to fill vacancies, if the governor fails to recommend appointees within 30

PERMITS WOULD no longer be required for amusement and recreational construction, such as race tracks, night clubs and bowling Any violation of the act could

be halted or prevented by court injunction. Under the present law, only overcharges can be en-

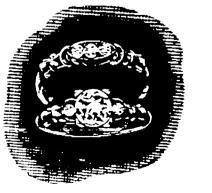
In adjusting hardship cases, the housing expediter would be required to give "due weight" to whether the landlord seeking relief was operating his housing accommodations at a

A landlord may collect an additional month's rent as a security deposit when he admits new tenants if that was his practice or the accepted practice in the area prior

SHIP MISSING

LONDON, March 24 (A)-Fiftyone days ago the Liberty sh.p "Samkey," bound for Cuba out of London, radioed she was north of the Azores. Nothing has been heard

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Calif., amid wreckage of a car following a crash in which a woman met death and 36 were injured. The driver of the auto, Mrs. Mary Robero, was instantly killed. The bus driver, William Baily, who was among those hurt, said the sedan had driven directly into the path of the big vehicle.

SALFORD

PTA will offer first and second and 16 orizes to the school children in collection of boc - for the Mont- Radcliffe in Germantown gomery county book-mobile. The

The meeting of the PTA will be held on Tuesday night April 13, instead of Thursday, April 15, as there The Upper Salford township will be a special meeting for teachers in Philadelphia on April 15 Mr. and Mrs. George Baghurst

be had at the local schools.

he township for the best poster on spent the weekend with Mrs. Emma Marlene Force is suffering from a hought uppermost is to make the broken leg which she received in

month of April the book-month a becycle accident. or collecting books to be sent to Mr. and Mrs Elmer Bergey visit

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the book-mobile. More details can jed Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Hackman Mis. Clarence Cope, is on the sick and daughter at Lansdale. Mrs Hackman recently underwent an Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shoemaker,

of Souderton, are spending some time with the Rapp family while Mrs. Rapp is spending a month in Germany.

Miss Laura Jones spent several iays in Allentown. Kenneth Cope, son of Mr. and cow.

(A)-Three large groups of Ro-Mrs. Kathryn Sanders and manian prisoners of war have orher, of Philadelphia, are spendarrived from Russia. They are the ng several days at their cottage. first of 38,000 who will be returned

PRISONERS RETURNED BUCHAREST, Romania, March 24

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Three officers from two local granges returned vesterday afternoon from a three day period of instruction at Bloomsburg State Teachers college

The officers were Mr. and Mrs. George Smale, overseer of New Hanover grange and lecturer of Montgomery county Pomona Grange, respectively, and Mrs. Joseph Stringer, ecturer of Keystone Grange, Trappe.

The three-day session was for instruction primarily of grange masters, lecturers and juvenile matrons. Supervision of discussion groups and games and parliamentary proceedure and grange ritual were taught.

More than 300 granges from 50 counties were represented. One of the instructors was Carroll

Bean, Augusta, Me., high priest of Demeter, highest office of the national grange Since the meeting was, in effect,

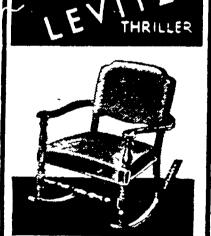
meeting of State Grange, it was LANDLORDS would be required decided that the annual meeting of that body will be held on the last four days of the last week of October in Reading. During the next 60 days, State

two cases would be subject to local Grange will ask each member to send to Europe enough powdered milk to make a gallon of milk.

SENTENCE SUSPENDED MEDIA, March 24 (P) - Judge

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Harold L. Ervin today suspended a jail sentence and fine against Mrs. Evelyn Page, of Chester, on the condition she pay back the money she stole from her nearly blind em-



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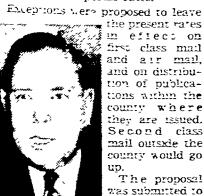
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Donaldson Proposes Postal Rates Hike; Alle Hope Seen

WASHINGTON, Merch 24 (P)-Postmaster General Jesse M. Don-Lassi today recommended an increa e in most postal rates.



county where they are assued. Second class mail outside the county would go The proposal was submitted to Chairman Reese

the House post office and civil service committee, out Reese

adeated Little enthusiasm. Don-adean told Reese in a letter that post office expanditures "are excceding recentles at an ever-increasing pies." He pointed to mounting ache is in the post war years The postmaster general estimated

the denot for the current fiscal yeur at \$345,000,000. He said the increases he is now proposing should yield about \$243,970,000 annually.

"WHILE THIS is far short of the at ricipated denott for 1948, and the still larger deficit for 1949," Donaloson said, "it is believed to be as much as the traffic will bear "

The three-cent first class letter fate, and the fiv--cent domestic airmail letter rate would be retained. But Donaldson suggested that the penny government postal card be eliminated in favor of 2 two cent government card, and

that the present one cent rate for private post cards be doubled. Dona'dson suggested retention of the present second-class mailing charges for publishers distributing their product within the county of publication. However for distribution of newspapers and magazines ryside the county of publication, he

of non-profit religious, educational, scientific, philantoropic, agricultural, labor, or fraternal organizations. Third class mail, which includes circulars, books and catalogs, would be increased from one-half cent to four cents.

ommended increases ranging from one-half to one cent per pound

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Chinese Red Offensive Gaining Momentum

NANKING, Merch 24 19-Goternment troops reeled today under Chinese Communist blows at three points on the erupting North China front after yielding two coal centers to the Red attackers

The three points, Fusin, Tzuch- man conceded the loss of both uan and Tatung, form a huge triangle. The sides are 450 miles long and the base 370 m.les wide.

churian border, the coal city of ocean freighter.

Fusin was captured by Communist troops. (The Communist radio earlier this week said this city 100 miles west of Mulden had been taken)

Some 450 miles southwest of Fusin, the great coal center of Truchuan in Shantung province fell to the Communists after several days of bloody fighting. A government muhtary spokes-

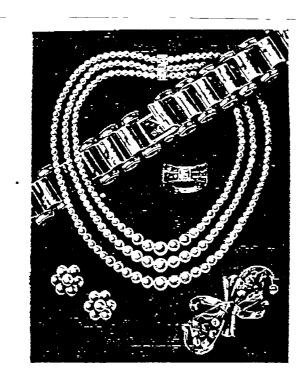
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Finnish Prime Minister, Molotov Confer In Moscow in Prelude to Treaty Talks

Prime Minister Mauno Pekkala officials. With Pekkala's arrival, met briefly with Foreign Minister however, Moscow observers believed V M. Molofor tonight to start off the negotiations would roroceed celaved negotiations for a mutual quickly, and treaty between their countries.

Pekkala, who has been ill, arrived today accompanied by his physician. At 8 o'clock tonight he sat down with Molotov for a 15-minute talk. The actual working conferences on the treaty will begin tomorrow.

Although the six-man delegaion headed by Finnish Foreign Minister Carl Enckell has been here since Monday, it has had no nieet-

IT WAS RECAILED here that when Romania, Hungary and Bul-garia negotiated similar treaties they sent their prime ministers to lead their delegations. Looking tired from his recent

iliness. Pekkala arrived at the Central airport late this afternoon and was greeted by Molotor and other high Soviet officuls. The British and Ameri-

Reversal of Palestine Stand Demanded

WASHINGTON, March 24 (P) Harchet Man' Hundreds of Brooklymites picketed ne White House today profesting York State Senator Kenneth Silerreversal of the United States stand | bell of the American Labor party

The pickets, some 500, were part of a delegation estimated by its leaders at 650. They were led by a woman carrying an American flag and a man carrying the Zionist flag.

Others carried signs reading nn, Republican, Wall Street's convention.

The deletation was led by New He said it represented more than 300 lapor, political civic and fra-

ternal organizations from Brooklyn. Sherbell said in a statement that the U.S. "must not be allowed to renege on its own proposal in the United Nations to set up an inde-"Forrestal Must Go," "Halt Arms In the otchet line was Jack Kronis, Shipments to Arabs," "Diplomatic president of the national meat in-Recognition of the Jewish State quistr, council and an alternate Now" and "We Accuse Warren Aus- delegate to the Democratic national



can embassies were not represented.

In a brief prepared statement, Pekkala said he regretted he could not come with the rest of the delegation, but was glad to be in Moscow "when we must conduct negotiations on such an important suoject as a treaty of friendship, cooperation and mutual help between our two countries."

U. S. Broadcasis Used To Inform Italians

NEW YORK, March 24 P-The first of a new senes of "Voice of America" broadcasts was shortnated to Italy today in a crite to mform the Italian toters about the United States before they vote April 18.

Programs prepared by the International Broadcasting civision of the State department will be broadcast to Italian listeners tiree times a day, seven days a neek and will consist of musical and other entertainment numbers, newscasts and addresses by prominent Iralo- Americans who have been selected from political, legal, educational and other fields in democratic American ENJOY EASTER SUNDAY DINNER

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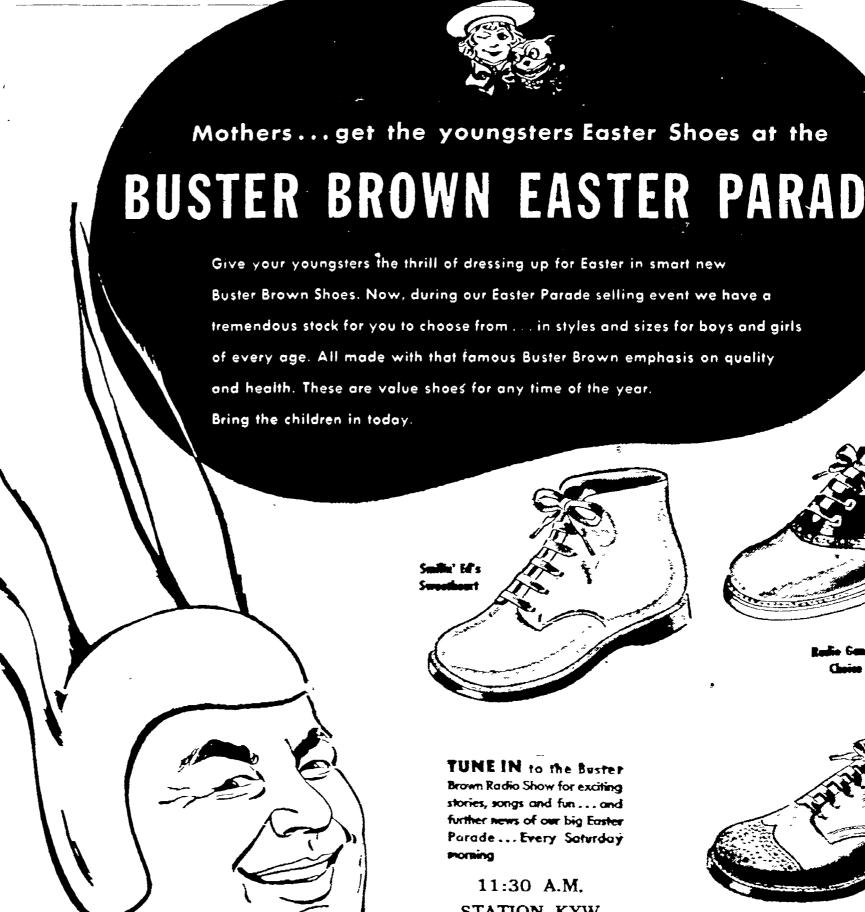
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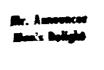
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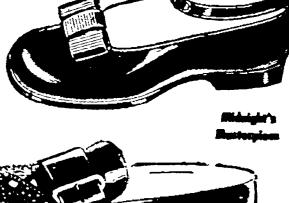
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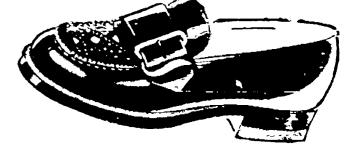
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HAVERTOWN, March 24 (P--Abian A. (Wally) Wallgren a Stars

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Restaurant Business In Operation Shown **To School Students** Fifteen home economics students

of Pottstown Senior High school heard a talk yesterday afternoon on the nation's second largest indusuy-restaurants, saw the operations of the local Howard Johnson plant and are all of the ice-cream sodas they wanted The girls were guests of Miss

Marian M. Conrad, restaurant manager, and the tour was sponsered by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

While the girls were choosing and eating a light meal of "Date Night Specials," Miss Conrad pointed out to them that the restaurant business ranks behind only steel as the largest industry in America, mat trained operators are hadly needed and that colleges have started courses to meet this need.

Those who choose this field as a career, she added, shou'd stress "cleanliness, courtesy, honesty and a smile."

AS DID THE BOYERTOWN students who preceded them the past month, the borough girls rebuffed the frankfurter, but gave as their reason a liking for the French fried potatoes on other platters, rather than dislike for the hot dog as such They also showed the same

interest in ice-cream sodas. Miss Conrad said. And if they were not quite as keenly interested in the business side of the plant as the first group, this was due largely, Miss Conrad explained, to the fact that there had been no "Career Night" preparation such as was given in Boyertown

Accompanying the girls were their teacher. Miss Carolyn Longacre, and Javcee members Harold M Steeb president; John M. Howard secretary, and L Stanley Mauger. The girls were Berry Staupt, Flor-

ence Kupeski. Joyce Ewing Anna Mae Gauger, Eleen Schutz, LeAnna Nester, Marrivn Taglieber. Ruth the meter still is working, no ticket Biehl. Ann Hutt. Rose Lozorak, will be issued. Sallie Friel, Kathryn Rhoads, Phyllis Randazzo Betty Strunk and Carma-

UNION SERVICE —

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destruction and the fulfillment

THE IDEA of Communism and its objective to destroy Christianity poses not only the invitation but the fulfillment of that destruction. he asserted. Only a counterideology will stop it.

"But," he said vehemently, 'resistance can not be offered by those who observe only the formalities of religion. It is necessary that we review the teaching of Christ, faith, love, justice, and brotherhood. Unless these ideas are rerived and practiced, the forces of evil will continue to roll forward like a tidal wave

This calamity can be averted only by proving Christianity is something more than merely lip service rendered by the disinterested unfeeling people, he explained.

"The Way of the Cross is the only way to fight it," he concluded.

YESTERDAY'S SERVICE was the third in a series of four union Holy Week services held at the First Presbyterian church under the aus-First Presbyteman church.

at the fourth service which will be company. 12 30 o'clock today

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Man of weight among hotel and tavern keepers is Ed M. Bauer of Campbellsport, Wis. Bauer, who weighs in at 780 pounds, thinks he is largest hotel and tavern operator in country.

'METER-BEATERS'

(Continued From Page One)

Price noted the use of the double coin is a racket of long standing. Previously, patroimen used to crank each meter showing a violation to see if it was in operation Their action automatically caused the coin to register auditional second

When this procedure was discontinued, car owners used a new twist. Instead of waiting for the officer to turn the crank. they would rush out and turn it themselves before the parking tags could be made out fully.

Price said many of the habitual 'meter-beaters" boast openly of their ability to talk themselves out of paying \$1 parking fines. By taking advantage of a patrolman's willingness to give the motorst a more than even break, they say tney can park all day at only a fraction of the normal cost, he

Jury Awards Widow \$50,000 in Damages

woman whose husband died in a gas explosion which killed 130 persons in 1944 today was awarded \$50,000 damages by an

Allegheny county court jury. She was Mrs Florence V Foley, who brought suit against the Pittspices of the First Baptist church, burgh Des Moines Steel company; Christ Episcopal church and the Pittsburgh - Des Moines company, and John E Jackson, partner in More than 50 persons attended the the firm. She charged the defend-20-minute service which was con- ants were negligent in building the queled by the Rev Delaine E Story, gas storage tanks which exploded Rev. Story will beliver the sermon at the plant of the East Onio Gas

held in the church from 12.10 to Thirty-eight other suits have peen filed by other claimants.

terly opposed armed preparedness,

paredness-even if it means warpengable.

Mrs Roosevelt, wife of the late President, wrote that she formerly opposed UMT but today she had changed her mind.

"I would hope that when the United Nations force came into being and was trained and ready for use," she said, "we would change our universal military training to universal training for citizenship."

RIDGE ROAD

parents of a daugnter at a Harrislor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Paul H Taylor, Ridge Road, Phoenixville

An alms basin the gift of the Young Women's class of the East Vincent church, was dedicated at he Sunday morning service. Mass Kathryn Godsnalk sang a solo, "The

Good Friday community services will be held from 2 to 3 p m at Rev. Michael R. Schmidt, speaking Women's gu.ld, will be held from 8 to 9 o'clock tomorrow night.

nam and egg supper recently.

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and refused to tell senators whether he is or ever was a member of the Young Communist league. 6. The Rev. A. Powell Davies of

Washington, strongly favored preand said it would strengthen out prestige with nations abroad who fear our foreign policy is not de-

Mr and Mrs. John Wampler, of Harrisburg, recently became the bury hospital. The baby has been named Barbara Nancy. Mrs Wampler is the former Miss Mildred Tay-

Mr. and Mrs George H. Philson of Mt. Pleasant Farm, have returned home after spending several

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he Zion Lutheran church, with the A Quiet Hour, sponsored by the

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HOOVER BACKS —

Seventy-one percent of the local he had given the matter "much ted Cross quota was reacned yesterday, it was announced by members of the Potistown Junior

thought" because "it is one of the most vital problems before America today' And Senator Wherry of Ne-

raska, acting Republican floor shaft of the Knox Coal company eader, said "Certainly Congress He was tentatively identified as ought to give some attention" to! changing control of the A-bomb if ne danger of war is really great.

THE BOMB and other atomic energy development were put under control of a civilian commission more than a lear ago. Bridges said this country should encourage underground movements

to "undermine Communist tyranny in areas already occiquered." The House, debating for the

second day its \$6,295,900,000 foreign aid bill, heard Rev. Mundt (R-SD) accuse the Truman administration of "pansylike" treatment of the Russians on the diplomatic front. Mundo declared "I can't un-

derstand who President Truman and Secretary of State Marshall Speaker Martin (R-Mass), after come to Congress and talk tough about economic relations with Rus-"I hope the President will sign sia, and continue a pansy-like attithis bill. But it he doesn't, Con- ude from the standpoint of diplogress - in accordance to the desires matic relations'

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Rock Fall Kills Miner in Shaft Near Scranton

SCRANTON, March 24 (P) -One miner was killed and a second is believed dead today from rock fall in a coal mine at nearb; Exerer.

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John Laibinis of Old Forge. Rescuers dug at tons of rock and coal in an effort to reach the second

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"Scratch My Back" Buddy Greco (Mus. 548)

Carmen Cavallara (Decca 23847)

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"Toolie Oolie Doodlie" 'I Hate to Lose You" Andreds Sisters (Decca 24380)

"The Holy City" (Part 1) (and Part 2) Fred Waring (Decca 24337)

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"They All Recorded to Beat the Ban" Jon & Sondra Steele (Damon 11133)

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Dinah Washington (Mer. 8065)

"Brazil" Les Paul (Cap. 15037) "In a Little Book Shop"

"Passing Fancy" Vaughn Monroe (Vi. 20-2573) "Now Is the Hour"

"But Beautiful" Maggie Whiting (Cap. 15024)



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Vaughn Monroe (Vi. 20-2671) "A Bed of Roses" "Fool That I Am"

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"Drifting and Dreaming" "Peggy O'Neil" Soodland String Band

(Public 701)

Cowboy Records

"Happy Birthday Polka" "Artistry in Western Swing" Tex Williams (Cap. 49935)

That's How Much I Love You "Chained to a Memory" Eddy Arnold (Vi. 20-1948) "Live and Learn"

Eddy Arnold (Vi. 29-1801) "Fat Man Blues" "Eeny Meeny Dixie Deeny"

"I Talk to Myself About You"

"If I'd Only Been True To You" "Aha! San Antone" Rosalie Allen (VL 20-2744)

Zeke Mannets (Vi. 20-2139)

"Blonde Fiddle Blues" Spade Cooley (VL 24-2742)

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PAGE ELEVEN

Starving Guerilla Captured in Greece Tells of Hardships

LARISA Greece, March 24 CP-A starting guerilla cantured on Mourt Olympus said today he and s re"on fighters were forced to car back mules and grass during the recent partie on the mountain's

Ragged and frost bitten, nearly 100 Communist-led guerillas were herded into a detention camp here as the Greek government army claimed one of its most decisive victories of the

Bur as the month-long Olymis-Pers extermination grive neared a successful end for \$01 torces, tresh guerilla outbrea < victo reported in the rugged mourtains to the north

APMY AIR force was for a possible in asion or even air atto come de with temoriow's on of Greece's independence

and American military council recounsed rumors in Larisa c' e 'o s b'e ar attack. However, new ort-aircraft guns installed in the pist feat dails around Greece's nost important air base here were so'e engence of official con-

stories of the last days of the fighting in the Mount Olympus-Pieria region, 33 miles north of Larisa, were told by the captured guerillas broughs here. The Greek general staff aunounced in Athens that more than 550 guerillas were killed and more than 500 surrendered or were captured there between Feb. 21 and March 22

Col James F Britingham of Baltimore, Mo., chief of American military observers in the second Greek army corps, praised the improved Greek tactics and said the should boost the morale of the entire Greet army."

ROCKET ATTACKS from Greek sir loice spitfires ruined guerilla morale, the captives told reporters. George Tsintlens, 20, who said he deen forced to accompany the guerilias for 53 days following a raid on his Pindus mountain village, told of men and women in his band thing mules when they ran out of-1000 Later, he said, they ate grass for 12 days.

Duff Grants Reprieve To Pairolman's Slayer

Governor James H Duff today staved the execution of Edward House, Philadelphia slayer, until tre week beginning Monday, April

The respite was granted to permit Hough's counsel to file an application for a commutation of sentence with the States pardon poard at its April meeting

Hough, sentenced to death for the shooting of Cecil Ingling, a Philagelphia policeman, was originally scheduled to die Monday.

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Three-year-old Bonnie Riler doesn't like it a bit as the doctor sticks a needle in her arm at the Camden, N. J. clinic where children of pre-school age are getting their first "shots" for immunization against diphtheria and whooping cough Sponsor is the Camden Department of Health and it costs the children nothing.

Italy to Get 43 Million From U. S. for PW Work

ROME, Thursday, March 25 (P)- Foreign Minister Sforza in a cere-The United States will pay Italy mony attended by Italian war vete-\$4,500,000 for work done by Italian rans representatives. The date of prisoners of war in the U.S. during the ctremony has not been fixed

An appointement said U.S. Ambassagor James Dunn would prersent a check for that amount to

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The Garland Broh building housig four stores a plock and a quarer north of the public square, was tens..elv camaged. A fireman and a woman spectator were overcome by smoke

but not seriously hurt. An elderly woman was carried from an adjoining building when it was feared she would be trapped. George Basore, member of a

George Basore, memory of a fire company directly across the street, said he first saw the flames all out smoke and water damage. The gift and novelty snop was a few minutes after noon. They outlined out and the other two outlined out and the other two appeared to be coming from the basement of Openhaus Gir shop, one of the occupants of the build-

The fire spread quickly to the form C Garun wallbaper firm to the south and an interior decorating store on the north Beond the decorating store, in the same building out professed by a heavy fire vall, was the Birns furni-

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The members and friends of the Community club held their banquet time keeping a fire in a downtown at Sanatoga Grange hall. The folbusiness building from spreading lowing attended Mr and Mrs through the book today They Allen G. Renninger, Mr and Mrs prought it under control after an Wayne Deysher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J Renninger, Mr and Mrs. Arthur J. Lancis, Mrs. Sara Acter Mrs Anna M Jones, Mr and Mrs Ralph J. Geider, Mr. and Mrs. Josepa Rosenberg, Mr. and Mis. Charles Weller, Mr and Mrs Acram Spare, Mrs, Irwin Hein'y Sr., Miss A Mi'ared Wagner, Wilham H Wagner and Herrert B

> The Falkner Alds of the Falkner Swamp Reformed Sunday school elected the following officers to serve. Ralph J. Geisler, president;

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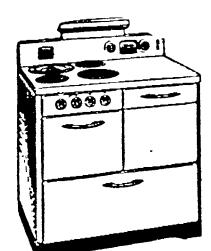
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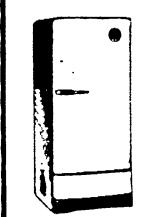
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The Falkner Alas of the Swamp Reformed Sunday school will nold their annual social in the basement of the church on Saturday night, April 24, at 8 p m An elening of entertainment is in store for all ano alteno

Mrs. Anna M. Jones visited her



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ed in a technicolor film for mem-

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The film was shown to the group

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Jaycees Aim to Exterminate Mosquitoes From Manatawny Park During Summer

Highlights of the pie-baking bush- the group, depicting the baking ness were presented to 16 members process. of the Pottstown Junior Chamber of Commerce, at a dinner-meeting held last night in the Howard Johnson restaurant.

Herbert C. Miller, general sales manager and treesurer of the Mrs. Smith Pie company, explained briefly the organization of the company before a film was shown to

County Woman Wills \$10,000 to Brother

By Sief Correspondent NORRISTOWN, March 24 - Mary Ellen Detwier, Perklomen township, who area March 2, named a brother, Harry T. Detwiler, principal beneficiary of her \$10,000 estate. A grandfather's clock is bequeathed to a nephew, Russell S. Detwiler.

Administrators have been named in the following estates of country residents who nied intestate: Ammon B Mensch, Gilbertsville,

in the \$1375 estate of Josephine Buhalcuk, Upper Pousgrove, who died the past April 28, leaving no

Estella M. Reifsneider in the \$1000 estate of her husband. Frederick S. Reifsneider, Collegeville, who died the past Dec. 19 Other nearest of kin include two sons and a daughter. William H. Albright Jr., 872 North Charlotte street. Pottstown, in the \$15,000 estate of his wife, Mary Elizabeth Albright, Pottstown, who died the past Feb 12.

tawny park of mosquitoes.

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The Jaycees voted on a project for this Summer-to rid Mana-

Albert E. Hartman and Bruce

of the mosquito-control committee. AT THE REQUEST of the nanonal Junior Chamber of Commerce, the local group polled its nembers on their opinion of world

Davies were appointed co-chairmen

iffairs last nigni. They were asked to answer "for" or "against" a number of issues, and some of the results were.

European Recovery program, 14 for, two against; Universal Military Training, 15 for, one against; present foreign policy toward Russia, three for, five against, eight, no opinion; reenactment of Selective Service, 12 for, four against.

After a poll is taken of members aho were nor present last night. the results will be sent to the nacional headquarters as well as to Montgomery Count- Congressman Samuel K. McConnell Jr.

Church Plans Showings -Of 'King of Kings' Film

"The King of Kings," a movie depicting the life of Christ petween the time He meets Mary Magdalene until He is crucified, will be shown in the Sunday school room of Trinity Reformed church Good Friday and Easter nights at 7:45 o'clock. There will be no admission and the public has been invited

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Deserted Mother Fights Police





Battling police who broke into a small cottage outside Chicago, where she had gone into hiding with her two children, Mrs. Margaret Sutter is shown (top) as she sought to avoid arrest. She disappeared with her sons shortly after her husband, John Sutter, allegedly walked out. For six weeks the officials sought to locate her. A police captain and another officer were reported bitten by the distraught mother. At bottom (left), Robert Sutter, 9, 15 held by a policewoman as his mother continues to defy the law.

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Education Aid Bill's Importance Stressed In Address by Grim

ant to education in all 48 states. Congress will probably pigeon-hole the Federal education aid bill it now faces, Paul Grim, supervising principal of North Covening High High school, last night told 29 members of the American Business

The measure calls for 55 million sollars in Federal funds to be used man received Shick tests. to supplement State subsidies, Grim

But because of the impending defense and European aid legislation before Congress and because it is an election year, the education bill will be shelved for the time, the educator added.

That Federal funds are urgently needed even in as comparatively nca a Commonwealth as Pennsylania is shown by facts such as he 1000 schools in the State which still have outhouses, Grim declared. There are 27 million persons in this country who have only a tourth grade education, he added Leonard Hiltwine was in charge the program.

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PINE FORGE

Mrs. Ruth Swavely, corr. Miles Smith Schvery. Phone Pottstown 2925-W School will be dismissed today at 2 p. m. and will reopen Monday, it was announced at a recent meeting of the Pine Forge Parent-Teachers association held in the schoolhouse.

Mrs Evelyn K. Reifnauer, principal of the school, made the announcement, and said this was the regular time allowed for the Easter It was announced that all dental

and medical inspections had been completed. James Hall, Thomas Kirlin, Henry Taylor, William Salaneck, Ronald Bitting, Sarah Ludv Suzanne Snawell and Dennis Fill-The children of the school, who

ere presented with a half dozen oats and balls and an electric record player through the benefit of the school funds, are preparing a 'Night of Music" program to be given April 6.

A cake sale to be held on April 3 is being prepared by the following. Mrs. Edgar Bush, Mrs. John Dusco, Mrs Jennie Salanek, Mrs.

See "Pappy" Volz

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Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock in the schoolhouse.

WOMAN LEADER DIES

DOYLESTOWN, March 24 (2) Mrs. Anna D. Bean, 66, one of the charter organizers of Bucks County Council of Republican Women, died

The few wild horses still ranging the West contain little of the old mustang blood.

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CONGRESS TOLD PLANE ENGINES SENT TO RUSSIA

President Expected To Place Export Ban On Shipments to Soviet

WASHINGTON, March 24 (AP)—Testimony that American warplane engines have been shipped to Russia within the past six months and that shipping boxes marked for Russia are lying "all over the New York water-front" was presented to Congress 10027.

In rapid-fire order, witnesses made these salient points before a pome snpcommi tee.

I. Forty-six new B24 engines currable for bombers or troopcarring planes" were shipped from Now York to Russia and Poland ng the past May and continuig to the ϵ nd of 1947,

2. Since V-J day, the war Assets administration has sold 21,278 combat-type planes for scrap, at strap prices, "some of which were

3. President Truman is expected to usue a proclamation "with a few days" banning the export of all airplane engines and other supplies used "predominantly for military 4. The State department has

"not yet worked out its policy on the assinction between shipment of American goods to friendly and unimendly countries." HIGH OFFICIALS of the War

Assets administration and the State department testified on all these points except the reported shipment of airplane engines to Russia Clarence Carruthers, president of the Wall street aeronautical

supplies firm of Carruthers, Inc., 'Everybody in New York knows there are boxes and cases marked for Russia lying all over the New York waterfront. They are being loaded every day. They're being

past three days I know of. ear-marked for Praha (Prague), Czechoslovakia," he went on.

oaded this afternoon, for that mat-

ter, and ther've been loaded for the

Murder Warrant Filed In Nevada Rape, Slaying

warrant charging murder was filed date for the vice-presidency of today against Laszlo Varga, a tran- China. sient, for the brutal rape-slaying of the wife of a Wells minister. The warrant for Varga's arrest was issued at Elko by District Attorney Alexander Puccinelli, even trail of the slayer dimmed and the search swung westward.

The San Francisco bay area was

the center of the search for the man who committed the calloused murder and mutilation of the pregnant 22-year-old Mrs. Billee Rahe



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Taken during tests at the Elgin Air Force base, Fla., a P80 "Shooting Star" downs at JB2 "Buzz Bomb" during a trail experiment to determine defensive tactics against the bomb. Pictured (top, left), the bomb is hit by the P80's guns and (top, right), it explodes. The P80 (bottom, left) approaches the exploded missile and (bottom, right) passes through the "buzz bomb" smoke as fragments from the bomb fall in flames. Air Force photo.

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Chinese General Says **Reds Using Soviet Arms**

NANKING, March 24 (P) former chief of staif or China's armies said today Chinese Communists are tighting with new 'I've seen diamond (oil-drilling) weapons supplied by Russia 'and Homer, had assets worth about tools for Russia and other materials for that reason we must have and welcome American assistance."

> He did not elaborate on the new weapons. Government officials frequently have accused Russia of turning over captured Japanese weapons to the Communists.

The former chief of staff is Gen WELLS Nev, March 24 (P)- A Cheng Chien, who now is a candi-

Cheng told a news conference



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WASHINGTON, March 24 (P)-Gen Dwight D Eisenhover, retired army chief of staff, will not be available for a presidential nonlination on any ticket, his friends said today,

This was in reply to demands from a number of Democrats that instead of President Truman.

Official Says Military Costs Need Tax Cash

WASHINGTON, March 24 (P)-A ugh Treasury official said today an extra two to three billion dollars can be spent on military preparedness without a major impact on the U.S. economy—provided taxes But he added that if-ex-

penditures three or four times that size should be necessary, it would force return of controls on a scale even broader than during the last war, along with more taxes, to block inflation.

Principally that would mean a compulsory draft of labor to direct workers to essential jobs, in addition to the rationing, price ceilings and other controls of World War II, he said.

THE OFFICIAL discussed possibilities on condition that he not be named. He said the administration has not yet settled on the size and composition of the preparedness program it wants to launch as a stop-Russia move.

Other government analysis said rearmament plans under discussion might well boost government spendmg \$3,000,000,000 above the \$39,-700,000,000 budget estimate for the NEW YORK, March 24 (A)-The 000,000,000.

Eisenhower Reaffirms Stand-Won't Run on Either Ticket

the five-star general be given the

Democratic presidential nomination The general is now writing his

nemours before taking up the presidency of Columbia

university in June Friends said the general is aware of recent moves to revive his name for the presidency m both Democratic and Republican quarters But they said nis position was made known ir-

revocably the

Hampshire Re-

past Jan 23 when

🚅 he wrote a New Eisenhower

publican supporter that he "could not accept" a nomination and 'my decision to remove myself completely from the political scene is definite and positive"

reaffirm that stand if reports con-plane cycled overhead. tinue that he has not "closed the door" entirely to a nomination.

Meanwhile, a Democraticparty stalwart, Senator Murray, of Montana, called on the proand anti-Truman elements in his party to discard politics now and concentrate on national security and the public welfare.

Murray said in a statement he had been asked whether any westfiscal year beginning July I, and erners may line up with Southern they might even shoot it up \$5,- Senators in opposing Mr. Truman's

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In Holy Land Arab Attacks

hilitop fortress north of Palestine silled 37 Jews today.

Fourten Jews were killed and 10 wounded when Arabs amoushed a two-car armored contoy of Haganah fighters speeding to the relef of beleaguered Neve Yaacov, six miles north of Jerusa'rm

The settlement was reported under attack by 700 Arabs, and 11 Jews were slain in the initial Twelve Jews were killed and 30

wounded in an attack upon a 12- two-hour council meeting bus convoy at Bab E' Wad, a rown on the main highway from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv.

BAB EL WAD is in the Judean ulls west or Jerusalem where more than 100 persons were reported killed in heavy fighting during the past few days

British troops moved into the

area with three pound mortars. Two 25-pound guns of the royal artillery blasted away at Arab snipers from a hill position five mile- west of Jerusalem. Three trucks in the 12-car con-

oy were destroyed by mines and three others disabled. The remainng six sought refuge in a filling station and were reported attacked by 200 Arab riffemen. Many vehicles were held up on

the vital highway by the wrecked They said he may be forced to trucks. A British army observation

37 Jews Die U. S. Silent on Palestine Crisis As Security Council Is Stalled

LAKE SUCCESS, March 24 'P- news conference in Washington to-Unexpected and unexplained United morrow. It was said the President States silence stalled Security JERUSALEM, March 24 P)—Arab council action today on the urgent might then explain the U.S. deattacks on contous and a Jewish; Palestine issue. It was put over como of the past Friday to ask for until next Tuesday.

> The council had expected to take up a United States resolution calling for a special assembly of the 57 United Nations to reconsider the Palestine partition question. The U.S. now proposes U. N. trusteeship for the Holy Land.

gute, sat silent through the entire now might stay longer in Palestine.

AUSTIN LATER told newsmen surrender the mandate. there is no great significance to the lack of a U.S. resolution Informed sources speculated, how- YORK, March 24 (2) - State

he switch in plans:

varting until after Mr. Truman's it lously been discovered.

after Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin told the House of Commons that Britain cannot change her policy in Palestine because some other country makes the latest of a number of propositions. On Priday when Austin disclosed the new But no resolution appeared American position a thigh British Warren R Austin chief U.S. delethofitical in London had said Britain

Austin contends there are legal

doubts as to whether Britain can

the special session and for trustee-

2. The new switch came the day

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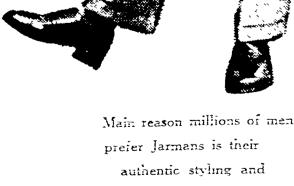
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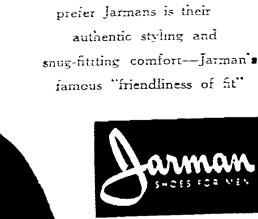
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Robert Horn Named Commander of VFW

named communior of Bo er own ters of Dr. and Mrs. Damel E the county council meeting in Pennsylvania Power and Light, was one April 4. Post 2487, VEW at a recent meeting. Bouse, 42 East Philadelphia avenue, Rezuing Monday, April 5 killed by gas fumes today at a com-Robert Horn, Morraulle was held in the Ombies home.

Other officers elected include Howard Frain, East Third street sen or tice commander; Leonard Gresh surface vice commander, and Russell Lechner, quartermaster.

The group is meeting regularly again on the second and fourth Moreay might at 8 o'clock in the Origles name

High School Notes

ter nere distributed to students in Bovemon's schools yesterday at the plose or the afternoon session

The Easter program will be held tonav at 1 30 p m It will feature a play, music and a talk. The public is invited

Five high school students will participate in the annual all-county band concert, scheduled to be held Saturday, April 3 at 8 p m in Mt Penn High school it was announced yesterday by Paul S Hangen Jr. supervisor of instrumental

Ther are Eugene Johnson, who plays the cornet. Henry D. Johnson, David Schaoffer, cornet Arland Longacre, trombone, and Janet Mechtel, tym-

The more than 120 Berks musicians will gather at Mt Penn Tuesday for an all day rehearsal. The local de egation will be accompanied by Hangen Guest conductor for the April 3 concert will be Maj George Boward, director of the AAF

Students in the high school purchased United States Savings bonds totailing \$49.90 yesterday. Ninth, graders from the nomeroom of Mrs. Josephine B. Bierly led the list

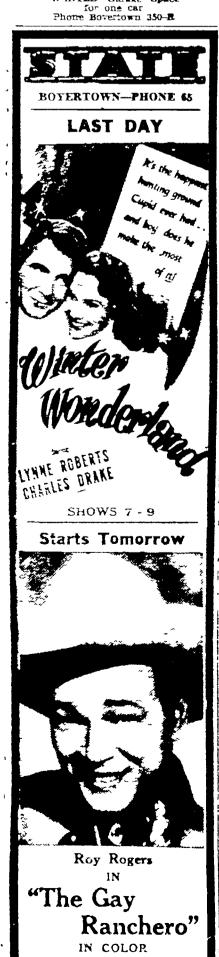
Cu dier of the fifth grade in Lincoln Elementary school have made Easter baskets in the form of large ecgs Made from papier mache fashioned by the children working under the supervision of Eva E Brunner, art supervisor the eggs are then cut in two and packed with cand, and other Easter items. They have been painted and decorated by the children.

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They are Mrs. Marie Fegley, Mrs Eleanor Carver, Mrs. Miriam Carver and Mrs. Annie Irvan G. Heffleger, Bovertown Mrs Kathryn Beck, president garageman, observed his birthday amed Mrs Lyola Miller and Mrs

Namey and June Bause, gaugn- local auxiliar, to accompany her to William Scianer, 40, employe of the will be held one week larer on Sanporh of whom have been confined A collered dish social followed, pan, gas plant here. Other workville, was winner of a table cloth time door.

rene Meck as delegares from the

DEATHS - FUNERALS Bally Lions Prepare (KANE) OWEN, wife of Isaac Owen, For Easter Egg Hunt PERKIOMENVILLE RD 1, were Four new members were admitted held seeterday at 1 30 p. m. from a

Lions club of Bally Easter egg hunt on Sunday at 2 p m, on the public school playground, it was announced Pastor Aoraham Metz, of Perkio- , esteros. Eggs for the event were donated menville Mennonite church, officiated. Burial was made in Ivy by each member of the club as well Hill cemeter, Philagelphia Bearers as three Bally grocers stores Mem-

were James and William Owen, bers of the Campfire Gris and the 1925 and about 51 percent had them who sentenced tre defendant, said Lawrence Tattersoili and Julius Boy Scoars of Bal'ev are assisting In charge of the event are Edgar in 1942. Kulp, c'uo president, and Chester Yerke, nead or the committee. In case of rain Sunday, the event

At Greytown on the coast of to their home by illness the past Mrs. Jacob Stark, of New Berlin- i men found his body a few feet from N.c ragua, the rainfall is as much as 334 inches a year

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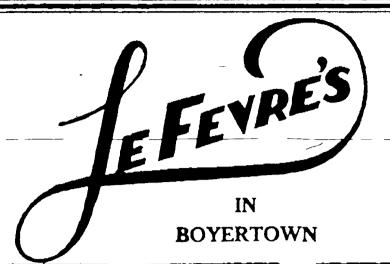
Man Jailed 42 Years

Officer Henry J. Mowles informed Demonstration and instruction in SCRANTON, March 24 (P) the judge that Hutchins has a record the use of the voting machine will found quilty today by a Federal of nine previous arrests. be given at Town hall on Tuesday, court criminal jury of transporting April 20, from 7 to 9 p m, it was a stolen car across State lines. James A. Hurchins Charlotte, N. C. About 21 percert of American was immediately sentenced to serve homes which were wired for four and one-half years in prison. electricity had vacuum c'eaners in Federal Judge John W Murphy,

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Borough Churches Plan Special Services To Climax Celebration of Resurrection

town looms filled with religious observance in local churches. A Holy Communion, comment-

orating the Last Supper, will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, and 2 meditative service from 1:30 to 3 p. m. will be held tomorrow in observance of Good Fri-

Theme will be "The Seven Last Words on the Cross." Charles L Trout Jr will assist the pastor, the Re: Harper L Schneck

acre, paster Topic will be "Jesus school will be in charge. Went All the Way."

Easter Sunday will be marked

ices, those in the Lutheran and Reformed churches scheduled for 10:15 a. m., while that of Trinity Evangelica! Congregational church slated for 10:18 a. m. The Rev. W. F. Bowers, pastor, will conduct the latter. Easter shut - in Communion will be held at 4 p. m. Sunday in Good Shepherd Reformed

Special programs will also be neld in the Lutheran, Reformed and Evangelical churches Sunday at 7.30 p. m. The older groups A CONFESSIONAL and Holy of young people of the Reformed Sunday school will have charge morrow highi at 7.36 o'clock in of the program in the Reformed St. John's Etangelical Lutheran church, while in Trinit" Evan-Church, the Rev. David F. Long- gel cal Congregational, the Sunday

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the Lutheran church will feature informal descriptions of Easter services attended by members in foreign service. The Rev Long-acre, pastor, will be chairman of the panel, memoers of which include Clyde Wert, Merrill L. Sweinhart, Henry E. Groff, Harry E. Mauger, Howari Schanely Jr. and

Jacob A. Longnere Clyde Wert, president of the Young Peoples Bible classes, will be in charge. Special music will be provided by the Bible class orchestra. The program is being presented by members of both the Young Peoples and the Adult Bible classes.

The chi'dren's Easter program n the Reformed church vill be presented in the Sunday school on Sunday at 9 a m.

HOLDAY observance of Easter caries a dely in the community Schools will close today at 3,30 p.m. and remain closed until Tuesday at 8 40 a m Mail deliveries and post office window service will be in full operation, with no observance for postal workers Banks, however, as well as the State Liquor store and corough offices in Town hall, will

Most retail stores are adopting a practice of observance of Good Friday by remaining closed for a brief period in the early afternoon tomorrow, usually from 12 o'clock noon to 3 p. m. Busses to and from Allentown, Reading and Pottstown will operate on the usual weekday schedule.

Members of St John's Luthran church are taking donations for Topron Orphans home and the Rev. Longacre, pastor, said that eggs, cardy, clothing or cash conributions may be brought either to the service tomorrow night or to the church Saturday morning. He emphasized the fact that material gathered will be taken by Merrill &. Sweinharr to the home on Saturday afternoon.

Night Club Operator Says Shooting Accidental

PITTSBURGH, March 24 (P)-Charles Peyton, night club operator on trial in connection with the fatal crooting of his wife the past June 26, reiterated today that the shoot-

ng was an accident Peyton was on the witness stand for the second consecutive day. As the trial entered its third week, there were indications that it may go to the jury ov the week end. An

Pevton, charged with murder, naintained that he fired a revolver to frighten away an incruder. The oullet struck his wife in the chest and she died shortly afterward. Peyton told the jury again today that he did not see his wife in the darkened night club on the Steubenville pike near here. He testified tnat he nad fondly bissed Mrs Peyton good night only a few hours before she was snot.

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home so that his wife could live there pending a hearing of her divorce action, Nelson made sure that his neighbors knew his views on the matter. Mrs. Nelson charged in her suit that her husband struck and otherwise mistreated her.

50 Hurt as Hurricane Lashes East Africa

LOURENCO, Marques, Portuguese East Africa, March 24 (P)-A 90mile-an-hour hurricane swept the southern section of Portuguese East Africa today, injuring about 50 per-

Almost every building in the village of Mampone was destroyed. Damage also was reported in Sofala and Mozambique

The Limbopo, Sable and Incomati rivers, swollen by recent heavy rains, threatened to flood the area.

Mt Parnassus is about 75 miles from Athens, Greece.

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QUEEN AT MADISON

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shupe of

Shamokin, spent three days with Mr and Mrs. George Snupe and

Mr. and Mrs Gerald Harfield spent a car with Mr and Mrs. Monroe Fox and family in Potts-

Mrs Baldwin Custer ettended the flower show at Contention hall,

Douglas Diffenderfer spent weekend in Michigan. Miss Glad's Deibler visited her

sisters in the fillage. Harvey Grupb and Newton Willauer tisited Mrs George Burinski and tamily at Shamokin.

George Ecker has enlisted in the U S Navy. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mull and daughter, Susan, visited Mr and

Mrs. Gerala Hatfield and family. Mr. and Mrs. William Yocum are enclosing their back porch Mr and Mrs Stanley Bealer are receiving congratulations on the orrin of a son.

Miss Cora Essick was admitted to the Portstown nospital for an appendix operation

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sands and Laura Steel visited Mr and Mrs. Howard Mengle at Allentown. Mrs. Russell Garber, of Birdsboro, visited Mrs. Stanley Sands.

Pilot Brings Plane Down Pottstown Landing After Landing Gear Fails

ACCRA, Gold Coast March 24 (A) -A Pan American World airways crew had saved the plane. He said plane made a successful belly land- iney remained calm and moved all ing with 30 passengers aboard at paggage to the tail of the plane to Accra airport today after the land- facilitate the landing.

ing gear failed. City, N. Y , circles the neld for three and one-half hours in an unsuccess- 22

The pilor of the Constellation TREASURY BALANCE Capt. A. L. McCulloch of Garden WASHINGTON, Marc WASHINGTON, March 24 (2)-The position of the Treasury March Receipts, \$325,815,741.86; exful attempt to arop the landing penditures, \$93,280,875.54; balance gear before he made the landing. \$4,357,4363.5 63; total debt, \$253,0 None of the passengers or crew 197,019,871.29; decrease under pravi-



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roses at the front top. It had an immense nine inch bow ing streamers tacked just in front Sarah Ellis, Mrs. Maude Betting. of the roses, while at the rear it had an even larger bow with much longer synamore within longer streamers trailing.

It was a hat worn by Mrs Aca Beekley which won first prize at the hat social held by the Lady! hall following their regular meet- hat bags which were auctioned off Reindeers last mont in the O of IA

prize with a wild nightmare of which followed. dark brown felt. Perched to the Judges for the event were Miss left front was a full grown stuffed Catherine DeWalt and Mrs. Elsie crow, while in the front were yellow Beekley. candy chicks. Green ostrich feathers liant orange streamers which tied the degree team. under her chin.

A COMPLETELY DECORATED decorated with multi-colored plasti- | Clara Sell and Mrs. Fix flex Christmas tree balls and silver tinsel. A net row of tiny red holiday bows completed the trimming.

Other hats which attracted attenflared to make a pancake type hat Lillian Ginder. with the doll perched on top. There | The next meeting will be held in was a crepe paper creation of shin- the form of a game party with ing orange and startling green everyone asked to bring prizes

| banded with crimson to form a pill

Hats were designed by Mrs. Maude

THESE WOMEN DESIGNED the

During the business session which were pinned here and there and preceded the social Mrs. Lucy Bocci to complete the ensemble were onl- was initiated as a new cancidate by

PIG-IN-THE-BOXES which were donated by Mrs. Eva Conrad Christmas tree of a low styled crop and Mrs. Edith Flannigan were won was the hat which took third prize by Mrs. Lorraine Smith and Mrs. won by Mrs. Leah Patterson. A Eeanor Koval. Special prizes were good sized branch of an evergreen donated by Mrs. Betty Fiss and Mrs. had been expectly marmed and Wahel Bowers and won he Mre

Friends and Relatives Honor Miss Jenny Kuser

In honor of the coming marriage of Miss Jenny Kuser, friends and relatives attended a surprise shower given by Mrs. Mary Spiewak in her home at Linfield.

Miss Kuser is the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Samuel Kuser. Limerick. She will become the bride of Mr. Joseph Trojan, also of Limerick next month.

The bride-to-be received many lovely gifts attached to pink, blue and white streamers hanging from beautifully - decorated umbrella fastened to the ceiling. At a late hour a buffet luncheon was served

Guests attending were Mrs. Rose Byndas, Mrs. Josephine Wayock, Mrs. Jenny Citick, Mrs. Emily Pollock, Mrs. Vicky Cushman, Mrs. Stella Haraczka, Mrs. Stella Na-Miss Theda Hettrick, Miss Adele Narieka. Miss Clare Trojan, Miss Margie Spiewak and the

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red saim streamers. Williams, Mrs. Bertha Mort, Mrs.

hats worn and were concealed in to the highest bidder. Winners were Mrs. Bertha Mort captured second then taken from the hat parade

A luncheon was seried at the dining tables with the social committee, Mrs. Ida Yeager, chairman, in charge. Assisting were Mrs. Edith tion included a doll fashioned of Flannigan, Mrs. Same Walters, Mrs. tan knitting jarn with varied shades Ann Cronin, Mrs. Maude Williams, of red and green ribbon interwoten Mrs. Alice Grimes, Mrs. Sarah throughout the skirt. The skirt Freese, Mrs. Mabel Bowers and Mrs.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. John Geyer, Wickstead Farm, near Temple church. Chester county, announced the birth of a daughter in Hahnemann hospital, Philadelphia, yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Mrs. Geyer the former Jean Powick, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Powick, of the same

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Yusko, Pottstown RD 4, yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dobbs, 71 South Evans street, became the parents of a son yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gehris, 123 High street, are being congratulated on the birth of a son yesterday in Memorial hos-

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Application for marriage licenses were made at the Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by. Jacob R. Sovia, Pottstown RD 1 and Anna M. Ottaviano, 441 Cherry

John Wasilindra, 419 Laurel street, and Mary Rowe, 174 South Franklin street.



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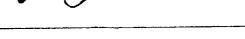


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Turkey Dinner Honors

Double Anniversaries

Mr and Mrs John Walters enter-

Attending were: Mr and Mrs

WEDDING

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Discharged: Mrs Jane Hospador. 341 Chestnut street, maternity, Mrs. June Foley, 618 Spruce street, maternity; Mrs. Verna Guss, 223 South Washington street, maternity; Faul Cisick 364: Cherry street, surgical; Mary Leifel. 254 Beech street, surgical; William Schaeffer, Pottstown RD 4. medical; Aaron Klein. Salfordville, surgical

MEMORIAL Admitted: Mrs. Florence Yusko Potistown RD 4. maternity; Mrs Louise Rhoads, 559 Jefferson avenue, surgical. Victor Ray Mesley. 48 Hemlock row, medical, Harold

F. Kline Douglassville, surgical Discharged: John Clarke, Trappe, surgical; Joseph A. Deery, Royers-ford medical; Daniel Dengler, Bechtelsville, surgical: William Eck, 580 Jefferson avenue, medical; Mrs. Pearl Haas, Manatawny, maternity; Anna Marie Hurley, Hilldale, medical: Hosea E Latsnaw. Spring City medical; Mrs Florence Lellig. Stowe, surgical: Albert R Tinkoff, Franklin apartments, medical,

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PERSONALS Margaret M. Himes Becomes Bride of Miss Doris Erb, daughter of Mrs Estella Erb, 472 North

WEDDING

Charlotte street, is spending the

Easter secation with her

mother. Miss Erb is a treshman

at West Chester State Teachers

Mrs Leland Berlette, Long

Island, N. Y. is visiting with

her parents Mr. and Mrs. J.

Russel Reifsneider, 19 South

Roland street, while her hus-

band is studying at a school in

Mr Robert Martz, a freshman

at Pennsylvania Military aca-

demy, is spending the Easter

vacation at the home of Mr.

Thomas Reidenouer 3d. 610

North Charlotte street, Mr.

Reidenouer, a student at Penn-

sylvania Military Preparatory

school, is also enjoying a vaca-

Mrs. Thomas Reidenouer Jr.

tion. He is the son of Mr. and

Miss Joanne Brown, a fresh-

man at West Chester State

Teachers college, is spending

the Easter vacation at the home

of her mother, Mrs. Harry N.

Brown, 216 North Franklin

Mr. Henry Stofko is spending

the Easter vacation with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs Stephen

Stotko, 1214 Queen street. He

Miss Marjorie Cohen, daugh-

ter of Mr and Mrs. Samuel

Cohen, 1123 High street, will

spend the vacation with her

parents. Miss Cohen is a fresh-

man at West Chester State

Mr Leonard Bernhalt who is

a freshman at Lock Haten

State Teachers college, is en-

joying the Easter vacation at

the home of his parents, Mr.

and Mrs Leonard Bernhart,

Sixth and State streets.

Teachers college.

is a sophomore at West Ches-

ter State Teachers college.

ætreet.

Kansas Chy, Mo

The First Presbyterian church Phoemitalle, was the scene of the recent weeding of Miss Margaret M. Himes to Mr. Walter Llovd Hipple. The Rev William G. Silpert, pastor, officiated at the double

Walter Lloyd Hipple

POTTSTOWN MERCURY, POTTSTOWN, FAC

oneanis Tage

Miss Himes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J Maurice Himes, Phoenixalle, while Mr. Hipple is the son of Mr and Mrs. Walter Hipple, Spring City

A recural of appropriate bridal music was given by the church organist, Miss Sara Opp.

Miss Marvrose Himes, sister of the pride, acted as maid-of-honor anile Mr. Raymond Rosen, Spring City, performed the auties of pest

Following a reception held at Seren Stars restaurant, the couple eft for a honeymoon trip to Atlantic City, N J.

The bride was graduated from Phoenixulle High school and Bryn Mawr hospital harsing school. She is employed at the Phoenixville hos-Mr. Hipple was graduated Spring City High school, rom served in the Navy three and onehalf years during the war and is now employed at the Floyd-Wells

Mr and Mrs Hipple will reside at the nome of the bridegroom's

Engagement Announced Of Miss Doris Drumheller

Mr and Mrs Leonard Drumheller, 425 Beech street announced the engagement of their daughter, Doris tained with a turkey dinner recently lakue, at a dinner in the later tained with a turkey dinner recently, to Mr. Stanley Schlichter. LaRue, at a dinner in their home Bovertown RD I. surgical; Angeline at their home, 109 North Hano, et son of Mr and Mrs. Sterling

> ployed in the office of Doehler-Jarvs corporation. Mr. Schlichter is a graduate of Pottstown high Out flowers and a large birthday school and is self-employed. cake were the centerpleces for the

The dinner also marked the birthday anniversary of Mr. Sterling Schlichter. Attending were: Mr. and Mrs

Francis Liewellim and daughter, June Orchid; Mrs Emma Kuip, Drumneller and daughter. Shiriey; Pailagelpaia; Mr Arthur Treichler. Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Schlichter. Miss Belty Schrickman and the Mrs Sadie Poley. Mr Roger Senlichter, Miss Barbara Oxenford and the engaged couple.

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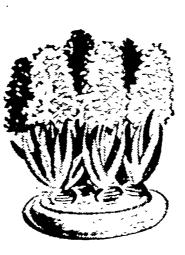
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Today

Mr Ralph E. Elliott, Elverson

Walnut street, aged 78 years. Joseph James Kriczky Jr, Charlotte and Water streets,

Mrs. Charles Russchky, 122

Claude Reinhart Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Remnart Sr., 48 West Third street.

aged seven rears.

Esther Mae Sevler, daughter of Mr and Mrs. John Seyler, 633 Water street, aged toree years.

Gail Minault daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Minault, Hill School.

Dorothy Chernesky, daughter of Mr and Mrs Raymond Chernesky, 360 Apple street.

James Steller son of Mr. and

Mrs Lester Stetler, 121 King Frances Bolden, son of Mr.

Irvin Bolden, 25 Cettage Row, Mrs. Raiph Capaid:, 629

Lemon street, Stowe. Yesterday Mrs. M Morton Gratz, 127 East Third street

Easter Gifts Exchanged At Regular Club Meeting

Easter guts were exchanged mong members at the regular meeting of the Ever Ready club held at the home of Miss Mary Wanish 893 Queen street. Miss Janet Drumheller also received a gift in honor of her birthday anmi.ersary this month.

At the close of the meeting a light lunch was served to the following members: Miss Dorothy Lightcap, Miss Rose Stercula, Miss Janet Drumheller. Miss Violet Effing and Miss Wanish.

In Baltimore Church

A wedding of interest here took place in Baltimore, Saturday when Beatrice Gilbert Borneman, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Benjamin F. Gilbert Sr., Sanaroga, became the bride of Mr. James Garland Rosson Jr., Baltimore, in a quiet ceremony performed in the Temple Babtist church with the Rev. C. C. Meeden officiating.

The bride, attired in a lovely street length dress of aqua crepe and accessories of excel brown, was artended by her sister, Lirs Bertram Dickinson, Sumneytovn. Mrs. Dickinson was garbed in navy o'ue and wore matching accessories. The bride chose as flowers a corsuge of red roses while her matron of honor wore camplitas.

Mrs Gilbert, mother of the bride, was dressed in black crope with matching accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Mrs Jamel G Rosson Sr. mother of the groom chose a print dress and flowered hat. Her corsage was also of gardenias.

Pollowing a small reception at the home of Mrs Robert Koch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Charles Tyson, Potystown, the newlyweds left for a wedging trip to Elorica. Upon their return they will reside at their newly turnished apartment ir Catonsville, Md.

Howard Buchert Feted At Two Birthday Parties

Mr. Howard Bucher, 415 Beech street, has been pleasantly surprised twice in honor or his 63rd birthday anniversary which he observed the past Sunday.

On Sunday ats gaughter, Mrs. Paul Miller, 48 West Sixth street. held a small dinner party for him in her home and last hight his next-door neighbor Mrs. Robert Bucher, 413 Beach street, entertained at a samily dinner in his ronor.

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movies, and likes people. She has

lots of friends and, in addition, she

has a serious interest in child

health, a field in which she hopes

In spite of having so much to

take up her mind and thought, how-

ever, she declares she is not mappy

OF COURSE ONE trouble with

this young woman is the fact that

she is so very conscious of the lack

or men in her life that her preoc-

cupation with the idea has thrown

her thinking all out of proportion

So all-important has her great de-

sire to be married become that she

appraises every man she meets on

the basis of whether or not he

is bound to make itself felt or any

tact, who no doubt sees that ap-

man with whom she comes in con-

graising look in her eye. Nothing

scares a man away from a girl more

quickly than to become uncomfort-

aply aware that he is being regarded

So the first thing for this girl to

her stop thinking about it in par-

have a good time with a man with-

reaction will be much pleasanter

The second thing she might do,

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friends mean greater social oppor-

THEN THERE IS a third thing

that will propably help her even

more than either of the others

That is for her to become so m-

terested in the things she is doing

that she will in turn be interesting

to everyone she meets. For a per-

time, rather than looking for one,

is always one who attracts men and

women alike. Instead of concen-

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lonely, an attitude which repels

people instead of attracting them,

friends she has, the work she does, and the activities she enjoys. That

more than anything else will help

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a a possible prospect for matri-

some cay to take an acrise part.

Strike Is Scheduled

By Railroad Workers

Advice to the Lovelorn

Woman Wants to Get Married

T 25, "Miss G" is deeply con-1 many interests, enjoys sports, music, cerned over the possibility that she may never marry. She wants to get married, she says, and there is nobody to marry. Any young man in whom she becomes interested always seems to end up married to somebody else and she nonders why.

because she "doesn't want to be a She's thought of a lot of possible reasons. "Mayoe I'm homely," she says

"Mayoe I'm too big and stout." She can afford good-looking c'otnes, and her triends tell her she creves well. She has a great

Birthday Dinner Held In Union Street Home

Mr and Mrs Ray Nyman entertained at a turkey dinner recently in nonor of the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Nyman's parents, Mr. and Mrs Cyrus Witman, Reading, who celebrate their birthdays on March 19 and 24.

The ginner was given in the Nyman home, 9 Union street. Two large birthday cakes graced the center of the table.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Wentz and daughters, Nancy Lou and Virginia Ann, of Hope Lodge, Whitemarsh, and Joan

Friends Honor Birthday Of Manatawny Resident

Mr. and Mrs. Arrie Gift entertained at a surprise party at their home in Manarawny in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Wilham E Miller, Manatawny.

Mr. Miller received many gifts After an evening of social talk and music a luncheon was served.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs Russell Geiger, Mr and Mrs. Donald Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. George Kaas, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Brumbach, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Moser and daughter, Dianna: Mr. and Mrs Grant Moser and daughter, Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Gift, Richard Loeb, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conrad, and Mayetta Loeb.

Eleanor Mock Entertains At Informal Gathering

An informal party was enjoyed recently when a group of girls met at the home of Miss Eleanor Mock, 259 North Franklin street

Entertainment was provided by playing parlor games and knitting. Refreshments were served at a later hour by the hostess.

Guests included Miss Janet Sanders, of Drexel H.ll, Miss Janet Corner Miss Jayne Capp. Miss Dorothy Kur.z Miss Marjorie Stofko, Miss Doris Erb and Miss Yvonne Trollinger.

BALLY

Miss Clara Gehman, corr. Phone Bally 42-R-3. Francis Campbell, delivery

Fannie Gehman, who was a patient in the Grand View hospital, Sellersville, for four weeks where she underwent an operation for gallstones, returned to her home recently. Raymond Stauffer, who was in

Allentown hospital where he had his appendix removed, returned to his home recently. Newman Stengel is remodeling

his home on Main street. Dr. Carleton Herrick, who completed his internship at the Allentown nospital, is assisting Dr. Hot-

tenstein in his Bally office. The Rev and Mrs. Elias Kulp spent several days in Chambersburg, where the former took part

m a Biole instruction meeting Services will be held in the Bally Mennonite meeting house tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor of the Boyertown congregation will

be the speaker.

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3 Killed, 14 Hurt In Plant Explosion BETHLEHEM, March 24 (P)-Three men were killed and 14 in-

jured tonight when they were

trapped by a-suppage of hot coke

from a furnace at the Bethlehem Steel corporation works. The company declined to give the ames of the men killed and injured. Three of the injured, however, were taken to St. Luke's hospital suffering from third degree

A company spokesman said the accident happened while one of the furnaces was being blown out preparatory to being shut down He explained the hot coke slipped out of the tuyere (pipe) and spread around the furnace, trapping the men.

Wrnesses said the flash from the hor coke could be seen 20 m.les. Two other gas turnaces in the immediate vicinity were shut down and there was no extended damage, the company spokesnian said.

Taken to the hospital were, Velodo Lukasericle, Walnutport; Augustus would "make a good husband and Knecht, Nazareth, and Frank a good provider." Such an attitude Schlegel Jr., Easton.

(Continued From Page One)

to do is to get our own ships out of the way."

The guided missiles can also be used to hit iron foundries and "it do is to stop thinking so much about will be possible to eliminate a namarriage in general. This will help tion's steel industry in time." Maria also mentioned new bacteria weapons, some of them capatime she may be able simply to ole of lying dormant for a time have a good time with a man with- and then "making the victim ill." out worrying about how he is going with an illness from which he does

to react toward her. Naturally, his not recover." HE SAID THAT these latest weapons made it likely that if another if there is no reason why she must war comes the ultimate course of ment stay in the small town where she it would be determined within 60 lives, is to move to a large city days. "After that it would be a where there will be opportunity to matter of policy as to how long i meet more people I am not sug-gesting that she go on a deliberate final mopping up." he said.

Martin added that "our greatest seapons are some months away. "It will take two years before we could produce sufficient aircraft of the new type now being developed. Missiles would be ready much more

quickly," he said. The methods by which the adio active clouds are being made and tested are top military secrets, son who is obviously having a good Martın said.

"I can mention them because they were discussed recently in a scienti-fic magazine article," he said. Martin first mentioned the atomic cloud research the past May 17 when testifying before a Senate let her radiate enthusiasm for the commerce subcommittee.

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county treasurer, or through a notary public, justice of the peace or magistrate. THE LICENSE tags must be attached to a substantial collar and

kept on the dog at all times. Dog owners were warned further that they are responsible for any own property.

STOUT DEATH -

One of Mr. Stout's earliest nemories was of hiding behind fence palings when frightened by Union troops as they marched off District court to four months in to the Civil War down the Perkiomen turnpike, now Route 29.

POTTSTOWN MERCURY, POTTSTOWN, PA.

IN HIS YOUNG manhood he was a stone mason, working on many of the bridges for the Pennsylvania Railroad's first tracks to Philadelph.a. A few years before his marriage,

when there was a slump in mason work, Mr. Stout and a friend start-ed out in starch of work. They intended to walk from Pottstown to Ohio, bir quir after walking to Johnstown, more than 200 miles. After his marriage he moved

to Pottstown and joined Zion's Reformed church. He served a number of years on the church consistory, but in recent years held only the title of oldest member. While a Pottsrown policeman he played the bass horn in the Potts-

incessant practicing around the house, although she herself sang in total church thous. WHEN HE RETIRED as constable in 1917, he went to work for the old Potter-Mackie shell com-

town band. His wife objected to his

pany, present site of the Spicer plant. This plant went out of busmess at the end of the first World

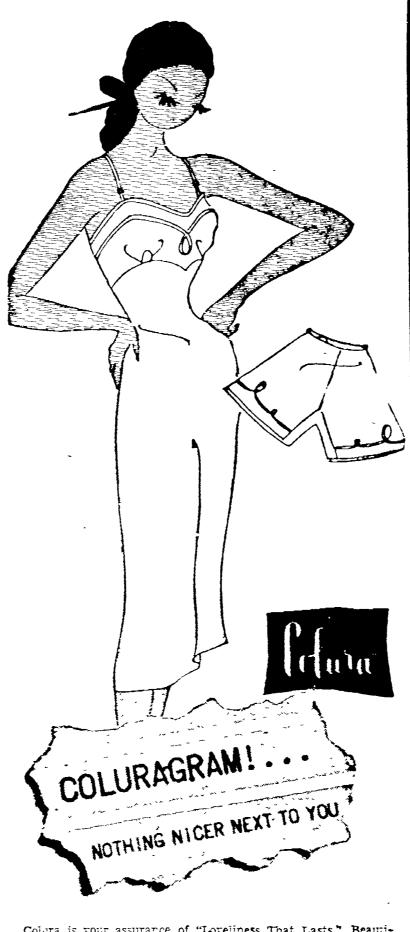
Nearing 70, he then worked for the olo Bethlehem Motors company, on Queen street. This plant went pankrupt. Finally he worked at the Pottstown Pipe Products company, returing on his 70th birthday. This company went out of business two months ago.

He also had been a member of the Perkiomenville and Pennsburg 100F lodges, but both of these disbanded after he had been a member for half a

A short, well-built man with a full shock of gray hair and a flowing mustache, Mr. Stout attributed his longevity and energy to his ancestors, not his diet.

HE WAS PROUD of his Scotch-Irish blood, and jokingly told his children that he would disown them if they ever spelled their last name

property damage done by their with a "d" I'm Scotch-Irish, not animals and were advised to keep a Dutchman," he would roar. He them leashed, or confined to their would tell the same thing to all of the many Pensylvania Dutch



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WASHINGTON, March 24 (7- to have defrouded the government) Failure of the Pennsylvania rail. Joseph P. Kamp, the chairman of of \$478,290 in taxes. the Constitutional Educational Lea- The name of Chor'es Russell, of electric-powered switching engines gue, Inc., was sentenced today in polladelpila, to whom Giocon was jail for contempt of Congress. Judge Ben Moore rejected a de-incutious.

Tense request for propation, but nay suspended a \$100 fire Kamp was released in \$500 bail bending ap-Kamp was convicted for failing

to produce records of the league before the House committee on campaign expenditures. The commirree had sought a list of persons who had commouted \$100 or

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according to acquaintano-s. He made week's trips to Philadelphia year-old sov was alled eight miles to sell his goods, the acced. east of here today when struck by a motorcycle while on his way home

o'dtimers with whom he loved to alk for hours

Surviving are two sons, Irwin 548 Spruce street, and Charles L, at home; a daughter, Mrs. Anna Dames, 260 Beech street; nine grandenildren, 11 great-grandenildren and one step-brother, Monroe Bergey, 517 Chestnut street

Famera, services will be neid Sat urday atternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 139 Righ street Officiating will be the Rev. Howard Kosman, pastor of Zion's Reormed church. Interment will be made in Penns

ourg Reformed cemetery.

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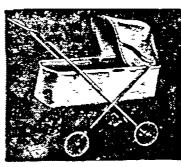
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ing generally to himself.

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ens, hogs and produce on his farm,

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Whether this was because he

road to hire firemen for three oilplaced in service in Poitstown and supposed to have leased his farm, Pritisburgh the past November revas declared by Wills to be

sulted yesterday in a system-wide strike order for fremen and engine Bechtelsville area reighbors of Gibson declared that he, anservice workers next Wednesday. other brother and sister bought The order, effective March 31, was the farm 19 or 12 years ago. usued by the Brotherhood of Loco-The man was something of a motive Firemen and Enginemen and mystery, apparently belonging to no organizations and keep-

mill affect approximately 10,000 workers.

Two of the Diesel engines with lone-man craws were put in service in Potistown and three in Philisburgh. The union charges contract violation. Company officials had no immediate comment

and that they had heard rumors of it only in the past two Weeks.

to run his place until approa-Gibson's brother and sister both mately three weeks ago, when, at re in Philadelphia now, while he ved at the farm with his wife, shom he married the past December. Mrs. Gilson returned from a hospital only Tuesday and aniorcement officers delayed his arraignto allow him to bring her home land arrange for her care.

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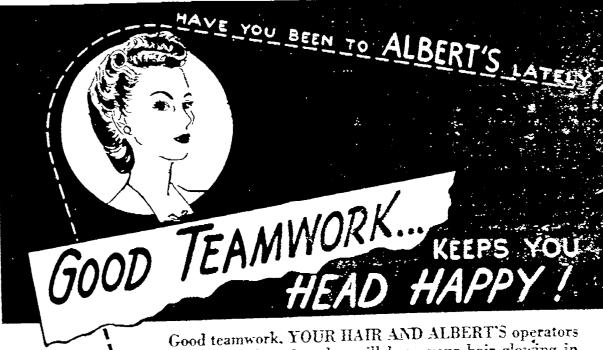
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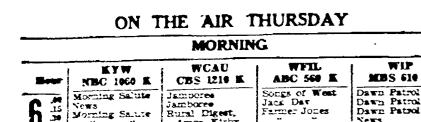
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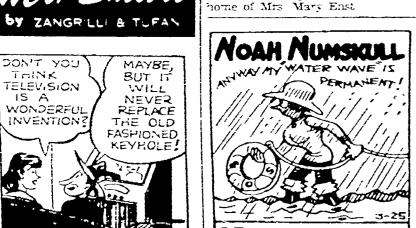
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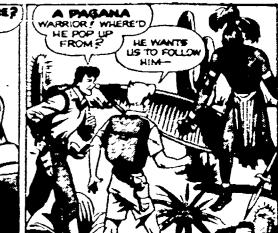
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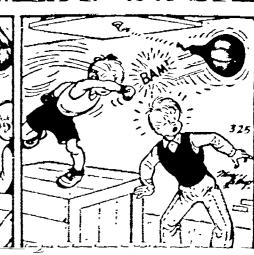




























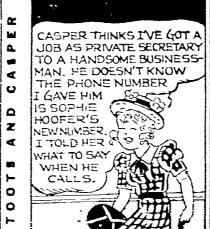








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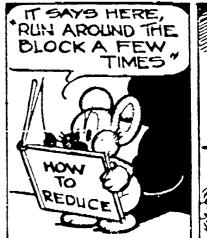














Strange New Minor Planet Found; Body Cuts Earth's Orbit Near Sun

-Discovery of a strange new minor planet auth moves around the sun at high speed was announced by as ronomers today.

This heavenly object is only about two miles in diameter but it has several unusual features. It was found on March ? by C. A. Wirtanen, astronomer at Lick observatory. The Harvard university observatory, which acts as a clearing house for astronomical information, announced the discovery.

Although there are about 1600 There minor planets, all Circling a our a the sun like the earth, most of them threel in orbits far larger the gloce, and do not come; an voere rear r

THE NEW ONE curs through the ecrir's ord t. Only four other minor have been found which do s, and all have been lost to

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The elderly man had been arrest-

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Canadians Are Urged **Suspect Committed**

Ting street, Stone, who had been arrested for chising and threatenng an 11-year-old girl whom he ought was trespossing on his

will be committed to Norri orn Stale Mental hospital to-Justice of the Peace William Because of Minchail's mental condom of our people" g tion. Rickert said, the hearing

and authorized strength of the armed forces, he said that at the end of February the strength was 34,276, 80 percent of the authorized

calling.

State Extends Deadline For New Auto Plates

HARRISBURG, March 24 (P)-The dead ne for obtaining new auto tags has been extended 15 days.

The Revenue department said the motor venicle registration period vould now end as mian.ght, Thursday, April 15 The former deadline was midnight, Wednesday, March 31 A shortage of license plates was

one of the reasons given b, the department for extending the dead-

We were running short of passanger car plates," a sposesman for the department said. "Rather than have some applicants lett without tags on March 31, we decided to extend the time limit for registra-

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Mr. and Mrs Daniel Russo were hosts at a birthday anniversary dinner recently at their nome in Wilmingtor, Del, in honor of Walter A McCarueli, Summer B McCaruell and Russo, whose anniversaries were ast a lev days apart Mrs Russo will be remembered as the doughter of Mr. and Mr_2 Walter A. Mc-

The bank building in Bvers, recently vacated by the Elmer Dowlins, will be occupied by Elmer Finkbinder and family

A cooking demonstration was given in the home of Mr and Mrs Paul A. McCariell recently, by Harvard Pannepaker, assisted by Miss Kathryn Twaddell. Those present were Mr and Mrs Miles Acker Samuel Acker, Mr and Mrs Silas Irey, Mr and Mrs. Samuel Chaliant Jr, Mr and Mrs George Waiton Mr. and Mrs Allen Moore, Mr and Mrs Hoopes Mercer and Mrs Edward Seaboldt Mrs Mc-Cardell received a kitchen tool set Mrs Viola Jenkins, of West Chester RD, was a visitor with her sister,

Mrs Walter McCardell, the past The William Baldersons, of Whitford have returned to their farm

at that place after a three months' vacauon in Win er Park, Fla An unusual number of people from the valage of Lionville, are patients in the Chester county hosp al Among them are Harvey L Moore Wrs Harry Dewees Miss Arna Dewees, Miss Helen Windle

and Frank Dewees son of Mr. and Harry Dewees. Mrs George Blake of Eagle, enmained ner card club recently Mrs Wayne Devanet, Mrs George Bengam and Vrs Ruth Worrell were awarded or Les for high scores. Mrs Harry Orr and her niece, Mrs Waller S DeLaney, also Mrs Newton Stateler all of Reaging,

In the eleming hey called on Mrs. Howard Dewees at Lionville. Mrs Ropert G S moson, of Eagle, a patient in the Will's Eye nos p. ai in Philadelphia for the removal of a cataract

were Sunday dinner guests with Mr

and Mrs. Morris Dewees, of Byers.



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BERKELEY, Calif. March 24 (2) the new one will not be lost, said Dr Leland E Cunningnam of Stu-

dent's observatory, Berkeley. The Wirtanen discovery, Dr. Cunningham reported, is going around the sun in an orbit a little more eval than the inside of a man's hat. It is about 80 million miles from the sun. This means it operates in an orbit about 10 million miles inside the earth's orbit.

Also its orbit is inclined at an ngle of about 18 degrees to that or the earth. These facts indicate, Or Cunningham said that it cannot get closer than about 16 million

The nex minor planet also is unusual in its distance from the sun Most of these 1600 bodies travel in orbits 200 to 300 million miles from the sun. The great majority are the planet Mars and between Jupiter.

The four previous minor planets which cut into the earth's oroll acre only about 50 million miles To re is every reason to believe from the sun.

To Build Up Army

called in parliament today for re- served in Chester county court in cru ts for the Caradian actile and He said recru s are needed 'so

that we can be read to meet any emergency and maintain the existence of our country and the tree-

C F Sider and Mrs William

Loses Business, Gets Alimony

Divorce-seeking Max Goldstein (left) tells a Los Angeles court that

his wife, Fanny, "booted me out of our \$50,000 orange juice stand without a penny" Mrs. Goldstein weeps (right) as she hears the

verdict that she must pay attorney's fees and \$30 a week alimony

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THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1948

OLYMPIC MEN TO WATCH NCAA SWIMMING MEET

Ohio State Rated Slight Favorite to Capture Its Fifth Team Crown

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 24 (P-Olympic talent hunter will watch from the pool side when the whose who of collegiate swimming open the NCAA championships here

Individual and team titlesand perhaps some world records and Olympic berths-will go to the best of 175 swimmers from 34 colleges and universities.

Yale's cagev coach, Robert J. H. Kiphuth, will be there in a dual capacity, as head of a staff to pick the U.S team in the international games and as mentor of his own

ALA# STACK, Yale's captain and back stroke expert, is one of a galaxy of stars entered. He recently bettered the 1:31.5 NCAA mark for the 150-yard event by turning in a 1-308 performance in a dual meet with Harvard.

Defending champion Ohio State rules a slight favorite to win its fifth team title. The edge is based largely on the Buckeyes' standout diving quartet of Miller Anderson, Bruce Harlan, Jack Calhoun and Hobart Billingsly.

This foursome is virtually conceded 26 points. It will be backed up by Bill Smith, NCAA 220 and 440 freestyle king, and the 400-yard tree style relay utilists of 1947.

STIFF COMPETITION is expected, however, from host Michigan. The Wolverines upset the Ohioans for the Big Nine title 13 days ago Wally Riis, Western conference champion in the 100 and 200-yard free style, makes Iowa a petential threat. Michigan's bid is built around

defending champions Harry Holiday in the 150-yard back stroke, Dick Weinberg in the 56 and 100-yard free style and Bob Sohl, former Big-Nine 200yard breast stroke titlist.

Individual stars, whose performances might easily upset the dope sheet, are expected to make competent bids for new NCAA rec-

the sensational sophomore from for his continued success." LaSalle college, Joe Verdeur. The Philadelphia newcomer aiready holds the world's 200-yard breast stroke mark of 2:16.4.

Other strong contenders include Michigan State's Ceorge Hoogerhyde. 15-00-meter free style cham-pion. Keith Carter of Purdue, the Big Nine's breast stroke and 50yard free style leader.

Six Giant Players Benched by Ailments

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24 (P)-Manager Mel Ott of the New York Grapes foday sent six ailing members of the chip and a coach back to the training base at Phoenix, Anz, to recover from colus. stiff necks, lame arms and other acnes and pains

The players who accompanied Coach Red Kress were Rey Poat, Dave Koslo, and Ken Trinkle, pitch-trs: Wellard Marshall and Buddy Kerr, ourfielder and shortstop, respectively: and Ben Warren, catcher

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Eyeing the Derby tournament last night, defeat-



hailed as a "New Man O' War," tops the list of 109 eligibles named for the 74th runing of the Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs May 1. In his two seasons of racing, the threeyear-old son of Bull Lea has won 12 of thirteen starts, losing only to his stablemate, Bewitch, \$219,155.

Named Grid Coach at University of Miami

(2)—Army Gustafson has resigned cons, Banjo was close enough to as backfield coach at Army to bebut he chose to pass the bail to one later went on to join the Philadelcome head footcall coach at the University of Miami (Fla.) the U.S. team.

Gustafson, who played his football at the University of Pittsburgh under both Pop Warner and Jock Satherland, joined

In announcing that he had been The Falcons must face a strong released from his contract, the Clover Park in their next test, but academy athletic board expressed if Banjo can direct his team as he regret over his loss but 'gratitude did here twice before the Falcons MOST PROMINENT of these is for Gustafson's fine work and hopes may pull one of the biggest upsets in the tournament.

At 36, Banjo is still in fine is starting to move back on his forehead, but he still looks chipper for a middle-aged man. He continues to play athletics until he thinks it is time to berth at Yale.

Banjo was born in Phoenix-ville, but came to Pottstown while ville, our came --still a youngster.

HE ENTERED Pottstown High in 1926, and was a member of the foot-

ball, basketball and baseball teams for three years under Coach Musn Bechtel. Weighing only 130 pounds, Banjo became one of Pottstown's

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POTTSTOWN MERCURY Steelers Defeat Club Century; SPORTS Engineers Lose to Clover Park

The Steelers became the first (in the semi-finals while Clover Park) and only Pottstown team to cons, coached by Johnny Banjo. reach the semi-finals of the Ki-The Steelers were in full comwanis Invitational Basketball mand last night. Taking an 8-6 lead in the first period, the Steelers staved in front from ing Club Century by a convincing

Back to Cage Stardom Here

Johnny Banjo, high school star athlete here two decades

The former Trojan star is coach of the Reading Polish

ever had

cause of an mum.

the old Reading Keys.

the Winter months.

tinued with athletics

ago, is on his way back to basketball stardom in Pottstown—

h. has a good chance of producing town lads who later went on to

only this time it is more of a coaching job than a playing job.

Falcons, one of the four teams;

remaining in the fight for the

Baskerball tournament crown, and

a championship team nght in the

same town in which he gained glory

Banjo still sees action on the

court, but although he plays

every minute of every game, his

job is still coaching the team.

The former Pottstown High

cager directs his team while on

the court, and very seldom does

the basket to take an easy shot,

everything he knows about the game

and then sees to it that they carry

BANJO HAS produced quite a

the Kiwanis championship.

team, and he may get to see them

out his teachings on the court.

In two games at the Pottstown

Junior High palestra with the Fal-

He teaches his players

he take a shot at the basket.

as a basketball and football great.

Kiwanis Invitational

start to finish and sported a 46-33 score in the first game of a comfortable 22-12 advantage at doubleheader at the Pottstown halftime. In the first half, the victors scored only five field The fourth semi-final perth went goals, but made good on 12 free to Clover Park of Shillington 56-36 throws to hold the lead. Club victors over the Pottstown Tool Century had only two field goals and Engineering company quinter in in the first half.

Club Century slitted the Steel- Field, x clinched the victory for the high school rads.

CLOVER PARK, although weak-The semi-finals will be held length by the 1000 of Solid Little Finances | States Little Finance pattling for the championship rext With Ar Staphau setting the pace. mursday might. The two losing the visitors opened into a 13-6 lead teams will play a consolation game and were still in front at halftime, Masker, 8 Salvau tioced II of his 16 points

THE STEELERS will be pitted in the first half The Engineers came to life in

He played football with Wally

Stofko and Dick John, two Potto

football stardom in college. Stof-

ko attended the University of Penn-

sylvania and John went to Prince

During his senior year, Banjo

captained the basketball team.

which he claims "was the worst

basketball team Pottstown High

After his high school days.

HE PLAYED football with the

old Pottstown Steamfollers and

phia Eagles. His stay with the

Eagles was a short one, nowever, be-

After he was injured, the Eagles

sent him to Reading to play with

During the same years he was

playing footbail for the Steam-

rollers. Eagles and Keys, Banjo

was playing basketball during

equal terms with Clover Park in the third frame. The visitors, however, pulled away again in the final stanza.

By winning, Clover Park elimiiared Potistown's No. 2 seeded ream. Roth's, seeded No 1, were beaten by the Steelers Monday night.

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ers' had in the third period, but Brower Yerger went on a scorning Closer Park. 13 12 12 19—36 Spree in the final 10 minutes and Engineers 6 5 14 11—36

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Old Trojan Athlete On Way East Battles West In All-Star Game At Garden Tonight

Ine last big basketball show of the tear here before the Olympic trials Square Garden tomorrow night.

It's the third annual Herald-Tribune fresh air fund game and a crowd of around 18,000. including numerous pro scouts and coaches, is expected to be on hand for the charity contest. Tickets, however, still are available for the stellar show. In two previous tilts between

be Eastern and Western college lummaries, each side won one.

Reading Keys and then finished up by playing with the Norristown LAM Banjo went in for professional The war stepped in and Banjo

spent the next few years as a physical education instructor in the U. S. Navy at Richmond. Va. His duty to Uncle Sam didn't interfere with his athletics, and Banjo played football, basketball and baseball while wearing his "bellbottoms."

Following his discharge, Banjo returned to Reading to settle down

It wasn't long after his discharge, Banja was again active in Berks county athlenes. He took over as coach of the Reading Coilegians a footoail team in the Greater Reading For two years, the former Football conference and joined the Pottstown High star played with Reading Polish Falcons as playerthe famous House of David team coach.

before he returned to Reading to Wearing eve glasses, carrying a play for Carpenter Steel. This was thin crop of nair, Banjo returned to Pottslown the past week with BANJO MARRIED and settled the same smile and spirit that down in Reading, but he still conearned n.m stardom as a Pottstown chlere long ago. After 20 years, For five years he played with the ne's still the same Johnne Banjo.

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at 14 feet 7 inches Worcom University of New Hampshire athlete. has been placing in most of the big indoor meets this season and his jump over 14 feet is the second best effort made by a nole vaulter this season. He is expected to be a member of Uncle Sam's Olympic team which goes to London this Summer,

Local Club Seeks Larger Membership

Dits the Eastern All-Stars against night's meeting that the club char- rived here about six weeks ago, Babe a similar Western squad in Madison ter is now in hands of a Pottstown Ruth will end his Florida vacation before the new organization he- for New York. comes a registered sportsmen's as-! in the Sanatoga hotel

> Shrever also told 30 members present at the meeting that the club's membership drive will continue. The club at the present time has a membership of approximately 100 sportsmen, but Shreyer said he would like to see a large membership. Each member was urged to try to bring at least two new members apiece to the next meet-

Seven new members were admitted to the club Tuesday night and two of them Jack O'Brien and Charles Brendlinger-were appoint- months. ed to the poard of directors.

Plans for a fishing contests were and are expected to stock more will be awarded to the winner.

Babe Ruth Closes Long Vacation Today Ted Schreyer, president of the MIAMI BEACH Fla. March 24

Lower Pottsgrove Sportsmen's as- Pt- Tanned and feeing about 100 over a measured mile in his supersociation, announced at Tuesday percent better" than when he ar attorney and it will be a few weeks tomorrow when he leaves by train

sociation. The meeting was held man, America's greatest home run hitler said at his ocean front villa "I sure did feel bum when I

> rest have given me a new lease on life" Rath said he would probablyhis health permitting—head for the West coast to serve as technical advisor in a motion picture of his

came down here. The sun and

During his visit here he made a swing around the major league training camps in Florida.

Earlier in the week, the club discussed. The contest will last for stocked Sanatoga lake with 300 bass, it's entire fishing season and prizes

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dy Jeannette, Baltimore. team will receive \$200 each while members of the second the will get sports announcers.

Guy Lombardo Seis **New Speed Record** MIAMI BEACH, Fla., March 24

P. — Band leader Guy Lombardo broke a seven-year-old Gold Cup nowerboat speed record today when ne clocked 113 208 miles per hour charged Tempo VI. Equipped with a new 1300

horsepower, 12-cylinder engine, timed at 31.8 seconds over a mile course in Indian creek. But Lombardo's main goal, to

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Junior High palestra

the past Summer. Citation's four wining efforts this year have pushed his earnings to Andy Gustafson

WEST POINT, N. Y. March 24 Military academy announced today.

head coach Earl Blaik at Dartmouth in 1934 and moved with him to Army in 1941.

GUSTAFSON is the second meminto a nead coaching position in the past two weeks. Line coach Herman Hickman resigned the past week to accept the head coaching

A 1925 graduate at Pitt. Gustafson was the oldest man in the point of service on the Army staff. He began his coaching career immediately after graduation, breaking in at Virginia Tech where he served three

years as head coach. He returned to Pitt in 1929 as oackfield coach under Sutherland and remained there until moving to Dartmouth in 1934. He is a native of Aurora, Di

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NEW YORK, March 24 (P)-Two

Philadelphia players, high scoring Joe Fulks and the versatile Howie Dallmar, made the basketball Associntion of America's All-Star team, league president Maurice Podoloff announced today.

Fulks, Dallmar

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Max Zaslofsky, the loop's top scorer from Chicago, big Ed Sadowski of Boston and Bob Feerick of Washington were the three other cagers chosen for the first team.

The second five is composed of John Logan, St. Louis, Carl Braun, New York, Stan Miasek, Chicago, Fred Scolari, Washington, and Buc-

PLAYERS NAMED to the first

The teams were selected by a panel of sports writers and

Fulls, whose 221 points per game average was tops for the regular season, received 695,40tes out or a possible 70. Zaslotsky, who replaced Fulks as the BAA's top formazer with 1907, accumulated

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Promoter Bert Bertolini has arranged to bring Rhode and the Angel together to continue their feud, which started here the past month in an exciting tussle. On that occasion, Rhode was declared the winner, but only after he had thrown the Angel out of the ring and smashed a chair over his head. On that same night, the referee was put out of action and Rhode remained the only man in the ring at the end of the wild contest.

engagement of the season's most have mer twice in Philadelphia, with staged here Friday night in the test when both were knocked un-

> ALTHOUGH THE ANGEL hasn't been in Reading since his February appearance with Rhode, the latter has won eight straight tussies in the Armory, winning over Sandor Kovacs and Reading's own Marvin Mercer just a week ago. In the only other appearance by the Angel this season, the 350-pounder pinned Big Ben Morgan.

In a pair of half-hour preminaries. Bertolini presents Milo Steinborn, veteran from Memphis, i Tenn, against Pat Welsh, of Miami. Fla., a return match which ended



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PHILS BEAT CINCINNATI

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 24 P.—Two rockies combined today to arive in the deciding run as the Philadelphia Phillies deteated the Cincinnati Reds 3-2 in an exhibi-

SPORTS

tion baseball game. Ritchie Ashburn led oif the eighth with a triple and romped home on Eddie Saniki's fly. The Phils got their other two runs off Ewell Blackwell in the first. Ashburn was hit by a pitched ball to start the frame.

A single by Bama Rowell, two infield ours and Jesse Levan's triple did the damage. The Reds picked up one run in

the 111th and another in the eighth scoreless through the lirst lour rames by Schoolboy Rowe Cincinnati (N) 000 010 100—2 7 1

Philadelphia (N) 200-660 01x-3 7 0 Blackwell, Wehmeier (7) and Fieller; Rowe. Deminely to, and Paggett and Seminick (5).

TRUCKS HANDCUFFS BOSOX LAKELAND, Fla . March 24 (2)-Although his string of scoreless innngs was ended today, Virgil Trucks hurled the Detroit Tigers to a 3 to I victory over the Boston Red Sox and helped his cause with a home

Trucks' circuit clout started a three-run Detroit rally in the seventh inning that produced all the Tiger scores. The other two runs came on doubles by Johnny Lipon and Dick Wakefield and a single by Johnny Groth.

Boston had ended Trucks' series of run-less innings by scoring in the fifth. The Tiger righthander had gone 19 innings without a marker scored against him.

Boston (A) 000 610 000-1 10 0 Detroit (A) 000 000 30x-3 9 1 Kramer, Johnson (6). McCall (8) and Batts; Trout, Trucks (5) and

CARDS NIP YANKS, 8-7 ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 24 (P) — The St Louis Cardinals

NOURISHING AND APPEALING Brewed from golden grain and fragrant hops, Utica Club Pilsner Lager and XXX Cream Ale are nourishing and appealing. Ask for Dry as Champagne Utica Club-Clubs, Restaurants, Dealers,

broke up a free alting contest in o'clock in Odd Fellows temple the 10th inning today to whip the

New York Yankess, 8 to 7. Charley Keller made a surprise pinch-hit appearance for the Yanks in the top of the ninth and hit the first pitch for a smale. The blow started the Bombers on a three run rally that tied the contest and sent

n into extra innings It was Keller's first competitive action since the past June and came several weeks earlier than expected.

Johnny Lindell smashed two nome runs, one of them during the ainth inning relt, and Bill Johnson also hit for the circuit for the Yanks. Del Wilber homered for the Cardinals.

St. Louis took an early lead with four runs in the third. The Redbirds added one in the fourth and two more in the seventh, but the Yanks countered with there in the sixth, one in the seventh and then their ninth inn ng outburst. The winning run came from

Cudale Marshali walked Joe Garacto'a and Glenn Ne'son and Stan salvars dire namolini inisit New York (A) 96: 003 103 0-7 12 1 St Louis (N) 004 100 200 1-8 14 3

Byrne, Gumpert (4), Hiller (7), Marshell (9) and Silvera, Pollet, Hearn (3), Burknart (8) and Wilber. and Thomas Todd.

NATS BOW TO BRAVES ORLANDO, Fla. March 24 (P)-The Boston Braves sprayed eight runs across the plate in the eighth inning today to defeat the Washington Senators, 14-6 Pitcher Ray Scarprough walked live in the inning and the Braves inserted four

Bob Elliott paced the Boston 12-Larry Drake hit nomers for the Boston (N) . . 020 001 192-14 12 1

Wash ton (A) . 200 202 000-6 9 1 Spachn, Bickford (6), Post (8) and Masi; Scarbrough (6), Pieretti

Basketball Group Meets to Consider **Changes in Rules**

National Basketball committee of he United States and Canada met oday to consider seven rules hanges recommended by the National Coaches association.

The committee meeting, held in conjunction with the National Association of Basketball Coaches convention, is a two-day session Announcement of its decisions is expected

Among the most important proposed rules changes are abolish- walter, Mrs Wilbur Koons. Mrs ment of reporting to the referee or umpire by a substitute, adoption backboard as the only official one, and permission for players to huddie with the coach at the bench during charged time outs.

who has committed a foul. Limiting the two men directly beneath the basket on a free throw to the defensive team

Clarification of the technical sessions yesterday afternoon. fold to designate just who is to take the free throw. Shall it be the player on whom the foul is committed or any player or the team. Changing the present threeminute rule, which calls for time out after a foul, the coaches agreed that it did help the game and suggested the research committee inrestigate the rule.

Past Grands Night To Be Celebrated By Vincent Lodge

served by Vincent lodge, IOOP, at it a weekly meeting tonight at 6:30 Spring City.

The regular officers, William H Rose Jr., noble grand, and Melvin Stroop, vice grand, will open the meeting, but the oldest past grands will occupy the chairs during the

Semi-annual election of officers also will be conducted. Candidates placed in nomination are: noble grand. Melvin Stroop; vice grand, Everett Leighton; warden, George L Lent; conductor, Benjamin Genung, Samuel Stauffer, James Walker, George Zollers, Franklin Schubert, Clifford Diemer and George Murray: trustee for 18 months, A. J. Haldeman, and representative to the grand lodge, Frank H. Naylor. Past grands also will vote to-

light for the State officers, including Navlor, local lodgeman and dis trict deputy grand master of th Third Onesler county-district, who is a cardidate for the office of arand warden. He is retiring from the office of district deputy. Howard J. Hallman, a past grand from Proepix lodge is the cardidate for the office to be vacated by Naylor

from the past grands for this elec- David Howe. tion. The tellers for the grand lodge election will be Horace A Hughes

Musical Tea, Dance To Be Sponsored by Hospital Auxiliary

Plans for a musical tea April 4, hit attack with a home run and and a dance, May 14, were ansingle, while Mickey Vernon and nounced at a monthly meeting of the Inter - Community Memorial Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock, with hospital auxiliary Monday night in Royersford Methodist church.

> Five new members were admitted and reports were accepted. Dorothy Mulford, hospital superintendent, reported a daily average of 75.8 percent for the month of February, Mrs. Joseph Schantz was named chairman of the nominating committee. The musical tea, for members

and guests, will be held at the home of Miss Freda Schindler, Broza street. Spring City. Sunday, April 4. The committee coin-

MRS. EARL NELSON, chairman; Mrs. William Strunk, Mrs. Joseph uary The following committees Peoples, Mrs Ray Bush, Frs. David have been appointed to assume the Groff, Mrs. Charles Franks, Mrs. responsibility for the redecoration Blair Miller, Mrs Gunnar Rambo, program: Mrs. Herbert Barron, Mrs. Lester Horning, Mrs. Dan Ortolani, Mrs. Thomas Tucker, Mrs George Mowrev. Mrs. Altred Reinmuth, Mrs. Benjamin Mowbray, Mrs. Flizabeth Cobo, Mrs. Harola Atkinson, Miss Marie Hilborn, Mrs. Joseph Buck-Charles Barnat and Miss Schindler. It was reported Mrs J. E P.

Burns, president, and Mrs Ray Latshaw represented the auxiliary at | ple. secretary; Mrs Clarence Murray the recent 50th anniversary cele- Mrs. Perry Stauffer, Mrs. Ralph bration of Royersford Public Woodward, Raymond Seaser, Mer-Following the meeting a demon-

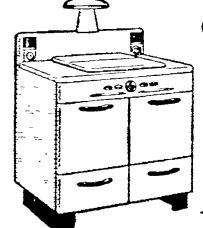
stration on the use of hound oxygen OTHER PROPOSED rule changes was given by B. J. Tesmer, representative of a Norristown oxygen Raising of the hand by a player company. The Spring City hospitalits committee served refreshments.

> EASTER VACATION STARTS Spring City public schools dismissed for the Easter vacation after

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Confirmation Rites for 15 Scheduled In Spring City Church Tomorrow Night

The annual Confirmation and preparatory service of Spring City First Elangeled and Retormed church will be conducted temorrow night at 7 3) o'close when 2) new members will be recoved into membership. Fifteen will be received by the rite of confirmation, including the

following young reopie's class, the, members of moden name successfully conjulated a six-month course of study in propuestion for church membership under direction of the; Per. Girner O. Adams, pastor: widow of Samue. M. Houck, for-George Wade, Jerry Swarz, Wilham Shakespeare and Richard LANSDOWNE, following an illness Eleven adults will join the

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church by profession of faith. They include Miss Louise Taney, Mrs. Leon Beard, Robert Pierce, Fred Lapple, Kenneth Francis, Chester Yeager, Leon Beard, Russell Plumley, Lawrence Moore, David Dabback and Kobert Buckwalter.

Five adults will join by transfer of membership, including Mr. and Mrs Lewis Compbell,

THE SACRAMENT of Holy Communion will be observed Easter Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The members of the Young People's cinfirmation class will partake of their first communion at this service. Special music will include a at 331 New street, Spring City with soprano solo by Mrs. Arthur Hed- interment in Zion's cemetery. rick Jr. and the anthem, 'We Declare Unto You Glad Tidings," by will deliver a short meditation on 'he subject, "He Lives.' The Easter program by the church

a program of recitations and songs by members of the beginner primary, junior and intermediate de-

Committees Picked For Church Program The recent decision by Spring

City First Evangelical and Reformed church to replace the opera chairs in the church with pews is part of a redecoration program which the congregation had toted to undertake at its regular meeting in Jan-Construction committee, Ben-

iamin Bertolet, chairman Mrs. William Jones, secretary; Carl Shoneman, George Littlefield, H. Emmett Latschar. Charles Taylor, Roy Lewis, Miss Clara Eaches, Miss Anne Diehl and Mrs. Roy Michener. Financial committee, G. Fred

ril Stanley, Norman Mowrey, Charles Shellenberger and Ambrote Peterman.

DEATHS - FUNERALS MRS. MARY ANN HOUCK, 79, widow of Samue M. Houck, forday morning at 6 o'clock at her home, 16 LEGION TERRACE,

Airs Houck formerly lived at 258 Yost avenue, Spring City for many years and resided at Lansdowne he past 10 years. She was born at Parkerford, daughter of the late Jesse G. and Margaret (Oberholtzer) Heck. A charter member of Spring Cry First Reformed church, she was a member of Lansdome Presbyterian church the past three years. Surviving are the following children: Lottie, wife of Albert Mansur Soring City; Jesse. Reading; Edna Vincent lodge expects a large vote Robert Kirk David Groff and M and Merritt Houck, Lansdowne; Samuel. Spring City; Maurice, Royersford, and Marie, wife of Frank Green, Lansdowne, and seven grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and a brother, Charles

Heck, Manayunk. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 1 p. m. at a funeral home

SARA J. MINKER, widow of Rev. Thomas S. Minker, of THIRD the senior choir The Rev. Adams A'ENUE, and CHURCH STREET, ROYERSFORD, died Tuesday in Rochester, N. Y. at the home of her son-in-law and daughter. Mr. and school departments will be given Mrs. H. E. Campbell, with whom she had intended to visit through the Easter holidays. Mrs. Minker was born in Church-

town, Lancaster county. Her husband died in May, 1946. Surviving in addition to her

daughter is one grand-daughter. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 11 o'clock from a funeral home at 112 North Washington street, Pottstown, The Rev. E. J. Carson, Philadelphia, retired Methodist minister, will offi-

Interment wil lbe made in St. Michael's cemetery, Birdsboro.

Spring City Girl Scouts Plan Skaling Party The Senior Girl Scout troop

Spring City, arranged plans for a roller skating party at its weekly meeting by deciding to go to Phoeniv Roller rink Tuesday night at 6:45 o'clock. Transportation will be provided. visitors will be allowed to accom-

pany the group, if asked.

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meeting of Spring City-Royersford Rotary club yesterday at Spring-Ford Country club. After relating details of the confab, Deininger gave a description of

the Mission inn, Riverside, Calif.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

A son was born in Phoening le hospital jesterday to Mr and Mr . Charles Prederickson, 18 Wall street.

Twin-Boro Classified

HOUCK—In Landowne, Pa, on Wellnesday, March 24, 1940 Mary Ann Houck, widow of Samuel M. Houck, aged 79 years, Relatives and intends are invited to the service at the Nelson Pineral home, 23! New St., Soring City, on Saturday at 1 p. m. Intermediate Zion's competery Priends may call at the funeral home Pinday evening, 7 to 9.

PENNYPACKER — At Littiz, Pa., on Tuesday, March 23, 1943, Ida M. Pernypacker, widow of B Frank Pennypacker, aged 24 years. Relatives and friencs are invited to the service and friends are invited to the service at the Nelson Funeral Home Inc. 207 Warnet St., Holyersford, on Samurat at 2 p. m. Interment Fernword cemetery. Priends may call at the funeral nome Saturday 11 2, m. to 2

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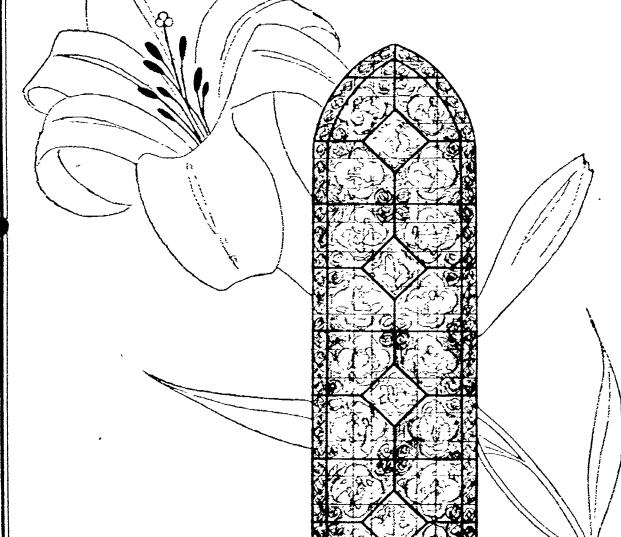
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Trucks, car and buses are stalled in the flash flood which in undated New Orleans and tied up traffic after a record 10.78 inches of rain. Practically every street in the city was under



Betty Bendell, 4, gets her temperature taken by nursing sister at St. Francis Sanitorium for child victims of rheumatic disease at Roslyn, N. Y., during visit of singer Kate Smith (center).



Cleveland firemen fight five-alarm blaze as two-story paint

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths

BOYER-On Tuesday, March 23, 1948 Elmer H., husband of the late Lillian (nee Rhoads) Boxes friends are invited to the servinlends are invited to the services from Houck's Puners! Home, 112 N. Washington St., Pottstown, Pa., on Priday, March 25 at 2 p. m. Interment in Pottstown West End cemetery. Friends may call Thursday evening 7 to 370 (Houck) (Houck)

MAYBERRY — In Lindeld, on 42 Chrysler Highlander 4-dr. Sedan Tuesday, March 23, 1948, William Mayberry, aged 86 years, Rela-tives and friends are invited to the services at the White Me-morial Home, Parkerford, on Friday at 2 p. m. Interment St. James cemeter, Limerick Friends will be received at the memorial home Thursday eve-ning 7 to 3:20. (White) MINKER-On Tuesday, March 23, 1948 Sara J., wife of the late Rey. Thomas S. Minker, Rela-tives and friends are invited to thes and friends are invited to the services from Houck's Pu-neral Home, 112 N. Washington St., Pottstown, Pa., on Satur-day, March 27 at 11 a m. In-terment in St. Michael's ceme-tery, Birdsboro, Priends may call Friday evening 7 to 8:30. (Houck) OLDT — On Monday, March 22, 1995 Leroy Oldt, husband of Laura (Leister) Oldt, aged 56 years. Relatives and friends are

years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the funeral parlors of Wesley O. Harley, 464 High St., Pottstown, on Priday, March 26, at 2 p. m. Interment in Mt. Zion cemetery. Friends may call Thursday evening 7 to 8:30. (Harley) SMALE-On Tuesday, March 23 1948 Earl M., husband of Helen T. (nee Mock) Smale, aged 56 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from Houck Puneral Home, 112 N. Washington St., Poststown, Pa., on Saturday, March 27, at 3 p. m. Interment in Highland Me-morial Park. Friends may call Priday evening T to 8:30.

STOUT-On Wednesday, March 24 1948 George S. husband of the late Catharine T. (nee Tagert) Stout, aged 91 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service from Kepner and Romich Funeral Home, 139 High St., Pottstown, Pa., on Saturday, March 27 at 2 o'clock p. m. In-terment in Pennsburg Reformed church cemetery. Friends may call Friday evening 7 to 8:30. (Kepner and Romich)

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LANCASTER LIVESTOCK LANCASTER, March 24 (?) — Capule 327, market 25 cents lower:

caires 211, 50 cents to \$1 lower; hoss 279, supply exceeds demand, 50 cents to \$1 lower; sheep, 282, market steady, all grades are lower

HATFIELD LIVESTOCK HATFIELD LIVESTOCK
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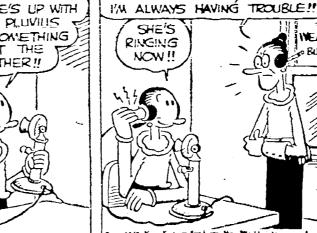
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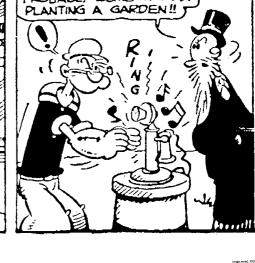
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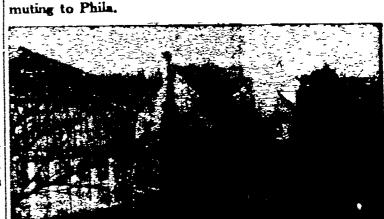
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Calmly blowing bubbles, Laura Lou Benninger, 4, Meshoppen, is unaware of her fate. The girl's physician says she is dying of cancer and has only a month more to live. Neighbors have deluged the child with gifts to make the remainder of her life as happy as possible. (Inter-

Heavy Rains Ease California Drought

national Soundphoto).

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24 (2) - The rains came today to the drought-browned valleys and nountains of California.

A belated and slow-spreading storm dumped more than three inches of desperately needed rain In northern sections, and piled up three feet of new snow for mountain power and water reservoirs.

As soaking rains spread southward, they brought new hope to stockmen whose range has withered under the most destructive Winter drought in California's history.

STRIKE ENDED

PHILADELPHIA, March 24 (P)-Employes of Henry Disston & Sons, saw and tool manufacturing firm, Reported to Directors of Automobile Club

Progress on Erection of New Building

bulk of the business at last night's struction.

held in the Glover Leaf restaurant

Burgess William A. Griffith

reported on the progress of the

club's new building at 135 High

old the 20 members present of the

meeting he attended one week ago

in Harrisburg, sponsored by the

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 24 (2)

-A Negro teacher revealed here to-

Lyman T. Johnson, a teacher at

Central High school here for 14

Union university, Richmond, Va.,

and the University of Michigan. He

said he hopes to do work toward

his doctorate in history and poli-

At Lexington, Dr. Maurice F.

Sear, university registrar, said the

school's policy, state law and the

Kentucky constitution would bar

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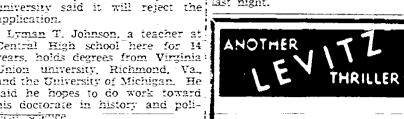
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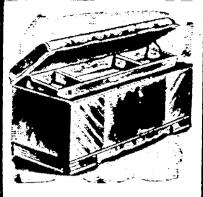
meeting of the board of directors of the Pottstown Automobile club. AT THAT TIME, instructors rom 28 Pennsylvania Teachers' colleges volunteered to take drivers' training courses to qualify to teach the subject in their Summer classes this year. O. C. Beacraft, club manager,

Finally, Horace A. Hughes, club secretary, reported on the March 18 family night meeting in Souderion, when 140 new members were brought into the

A program of entertainment, inluding an exhibition by the girls' To Enter Kentucky School drill team of Schwenkville High school and several acts of vaudeville, followed the past week's business day he has filed an application for

enrolment at the Summer session of Auto club president, was in charge William F. Lamb Sr., Potistown last night.





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The license for the one-day stand cost the circus company \$50, a tem- on the Cross will form the themes by the borough under the provisions of the amusement tax ordinance.

Rural Churches to Join In Good Friday Service

A Good Friday union service will was the granting of a permit for be held tomorrow night at 8 o'clock the James Cole Circus to put on in the Pughtown Baptist church, the Rev. Charles W. Jared, pastor.

The seven words spoken by Jesus porary permit \$1, and 10 percent of of sermons by Rev. Jared and Rev. the cost of each ticket will be taken Robert Neilson. The Pughtown church choir will give an anthem.

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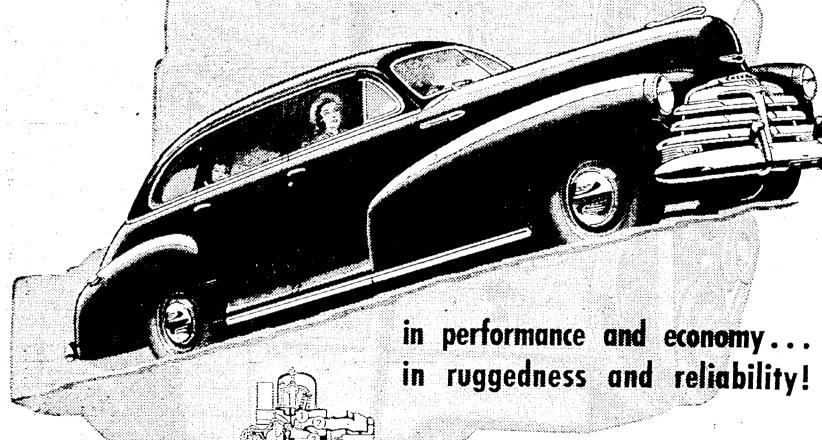
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